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to build a slip on the North East Quay, between the Custom House Gate, and Half Moon Street, ordered, that Aldᵉⁿ. Knapp, Hawkins, Jackson, and Mr. Aug. Carré view said quay and report whether erecting such slip would be without prejudice to the river or annoyance to the Inhabitants.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Aldᵉⁿ. Hawkins, Bennett, Millerd, Huleat, Croker, Fuller, Jackson, Farren; Sher. Terry; Mr. Carré, Dring, Piersey, and Fuller, C. S.

Mem. A Council sum. to meet 23 April at 4 o'clock, waited till a quarter after 6 o'clock, did not proceed to business for want of sufficient members.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Hawkins, Huleat, Croker, Jackson; Sher. Terry and Phillips; Mr. John Morrison and Thos. Browne.

1 *May*, 1740. **1818070**

That directions be immediately sent to Mr. John Croker to prosecute the suit of this Corporation against Lord Barrymore's Weirs, to have it brought down to tryal as soon as may be.

That Mrs. Mary Browne, widdow of Ald. Tho. Browne, Apothecary, *dec.*, be paid a pension of £20 yearly.

That Mrs. Grace Richards have leave to erect a slip between the Custom House Gate and Half Moon Street on the North East Marsh, Ald. Hawkins and Jackson having reported that such slip will not be prejudicial to the navigation or inhabitants, provided said slip shall not exceed ten feet in breadth, and that said G. Richards give good security that she will keep it in repair.

The C. S. has reported to this Council, that 'tis the request of the C. D.H. that there should be an order to admit Emanuel, son of Ald. Geo. Fuller, and brother of the present Mayor, a freeman at large. Ordered, that Mr. Emmanuel Fuller be admitted.

That £7 be paid to Robᵗ. Powell for two pair of large Copper Scales, sundry brass weights and pewter measures, and for a large lanthorn for the Exchange.

That £18 19*s.* 5*d.* be paid Mr. Russell Wood for Law business.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Hawkins, Bennett, Huleat, Croker, Fuller, Jackson, Baldwin; Sheriff Terry and Phillips; Mr. Morrisson, Owgan, Browne, and C. S.

5 *May*, 1740.

That Robert, younger son of Robert Eason Cooper; Charles Dawson, merch^{t}., having served James Calwell; Mr. James Hartnett, an inhabitant of this City above 30 years; Mr. Henry Maunix paying £30; Palms Westropp, merch^{t}., having served Messrs. Phineas Bury and Randal Westrop; Rich^{d}. Hungerford, merch^{t}., having served James Crooke; Mr. Aug. Carré, having served Mr. Jacob Saull; Joseph Devonshire, merch^{t}., having served Thos. Devonshire; George Armstrong, merch^{t}., having served Messr^{s}. Vanseevenhoven, Armistead and Armstrong; Thomas Taylor, merch^{t}., having served Mr. Robt. Armstrong; Quintine Osburne, merch^{t}., having served Mark Goddard, merch^{t}.; Joseph Abell, having served Joshua Wight; Edward Creed, having served Francis Austen; John Skilton, Sugar-boiler, having served Joseph Fenn; Mathew Deane, Esq., one of the representatives of this City; Francis Price, having served John Richards, *dec.*, be admitted free at large.

Whereas an order was made 12 April, 1738, with respect to making Honorary Freemen and which was to continue for two years, as said order is found to be a most wholesome and good order; agreed, that it be continued in every article and part for seven years from this day.

Present—Mr. Mayor, the Recorder; Alde^{n}. Hawkins, Austin, Croker, Huleat, Fuller, Jackson, Baldwin; Sheriff Phillips; Mr. Carré, Owgan, Browne, C. S., Ald. Bennett, and Sher. Terry.

Mem. A Summons for 15 May, at 5 o'clock; at half-after 6 there appeared but eight.—Rob. Hoare, C. C.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Alde^{n}. Bennett, Croker, Fuller, Jackson, Farren; Mr. Carré, and Fuller, C. S.

17 *May*, 1740.

That £11 6*s*. 8*d*. be paid John Ewers for drink and bread supplied the Main Guard during the time of the late tumults and riots in this City.

That 16*s*. 10*d*. be paid Ja^{s}. Healy for drink for the North Guard, on like occasion.

That £1 3*s*. 4*d*. be paid W^{m}. Whittecar for bread and drink for the South Guard, on like occasion.

Mr. Aug. Carré having 300 kilderkins of English wheat, and we apprehending a scarcity, ordered, that Mr. Carré be paid for said wheat at the rate of 28*s.* a kilderkin, said kilderkin to weigh two hundred and half, to be delivered by said Carré to the Mayor.

That Mr. Carré write to his correspondent in England on behalf of this Corporation, for a cargo of 100 or 150 tuns of oats, to be sent here with all convenient despatch.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Bennett, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Baldwin; Sher. Terry; Mr. Morrisson, Carré, Piersey, R. Dring and C. S.

19 *May*, 1740.

That John Croker's bill of Cost, from 16 Dec., 1738, to this day, £42 1*s.* 9*d.*, be paid him.

That 19*s.* 4½*d.* be paid Ald. Farren, having paid same to Jas. Supell for the leather pipes of the fire-engine.

Whereas Robt. Hoare was ordered to draw a bill on Mr. John Croker for £100, which he received from the executors of Silvester Cross, a legacy left by him to the Blue Coat Hospital, ordered, that Hoare pay said sum to the Chamberlain and take his receipt for same.

That the Chamberlain call upon Ald. Austin and Mr. John Maunsell for the interest of £925 in their hands belonging to the Blue Coat Hospital.

There having been several orders appointing persons to settle the Chamberlain's and all other public officers' accounts, but there being no report, we appoint Mr. Sher. Terry and Phillips, Mr. Aug. Carré, and Mr. Thos. Browne to settle said accounts, and desire that four persons of the Commons be chosen with the aforesaid persons for that purpose.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Bennett, Millerd, Croker, Farren, Baldwin; Sher. Terry and Phillips; Mr. Carré, Brown, Piersey, and Fuller, C. S.

24 *May*, 1740.

That lodgings be provided for His Excellency Henry Boyle, Esq., one of the Lords Justices, and that an Entertainment be provided for his Excellency at the Council Chamber, to be provided by Saml. Croker, Esq., and the two Sheriffs.

That Mr. Thomas Croker and Mr. Hugh Lawton be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Bennett, Millerd, Croker, Jackson, Farren; Sher. Terry; Mr. Morrisson, Carré, Browne, Piersey (*postea*), Ald. Baldwin.

29 *May*, 1740.

That 238 Barrels of New England flour, now in the custody of Mr. Abraham Morris, be bought from him at 17*s*. the hundredweight, to supply the market, under the direction of the Mayor.

That 300 Kilderkins of Philadelphia wheat, now in the custody of Messrs. Calwell, Lawton, and Carleton be bought from them at the rate of £1 8*s*. 2*d*. the kilderkin, each kilderkin to weigh two hundred and a half, to supply the market under the conduct of the Mayor.

That the Chamberlain pay Mr. Abrahᵐ. Morris and Messrs. Calwell, Lawton, and Carleton for said flour and wheat, at the prices above mentioned.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Bennett, Croker, Jackson, Baldwin; Sher. Terry and Phillips; Mr. Carré, Browne, and Piersey.

7 *June*, 1740.

That 600 Barrels of flour, now in the hands of Messrs. Sleigh and Eburn, be bought at 17*s*. per hundred, to supply the market, under the direction of the Mayor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Bennett, Atkins, Austin, Huleat, Croker, Fuller; Sher. Terry; Mr. Browne and Piersey.

11 *June*, 1740.

That 1,000 Barrels of New England wheat, each weighing 2 hundred and a half, now in the hands of Messrs. Sleigh and Eburne, be bought at the rate of 30*s*. per barrel, to supply the market, under the direction of Mr. Mayor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Bennett, Atkins, Croker, Fuller, Jackson; Sher. Terry and Phillips; Mr. Carré, Owgan, and Browne.

29 *July*, 1740.

The 1 Aug. being the Assizes, we appoint the first Wednesday after for the Conservation of the River, and to solemnize the great events that happened that day, that £12 be expended on an entertainment.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Bennett, Atkins, Austin, Huleat, Baldwin; Sher. Terry and Phillips; Mr. Carré, Browne, and Piersey.

5 *Aug.*, 1740.

Neither of the Sheriffs appearing, did not proceed to business. — Robᵗ. Hoare, Clk. of Council.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Bennett, Millerd, Austin, Huleat, Fuller, Jackson; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, Piersey, and Wᵐ. Lane, C. S.

25 *Sep.*, 1740.

Ordered, that Geo. Atkins, brother to Ald. Atkins; George, son of John Newenham; William, having served his father, Thos. Fuller; Revᵈ. Thos., eldest son of Ald. Millerd; Richᵈ. Hare, having served Wᵐ. Hare; Joshua Nun, mercht., paying 5 guineas; Mark Draper, mercht., having served Wᵐ. Sleigh, mercht.; Benj. Witherall, cloathier, paying 5 guineas, be admitted free at large.

That Mr. Recorder draw up a Memorial to Government for a supply of half-pence.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Bennett, Atkins, Austin, Millerd, Baldwin; two Sheriffs; Mr. Carré, Browne, Piersey, and Dring.

1 *Oct.*, 1740.

That George Terry, having served Sher. Terry; Robᵗ. Delacourt, mercht., having served Mr. Peter Cossart; John Lucas, merchᵗ., having served Mr. James Piercey; Arthur Conran, merchᵗ., having served Mr. Aug. Carré; Henry Rugg, having served Amby Longfield and Danˡ. Knight, be admitted free at large.

That £9 12*s.* be paid Ald. Robᵗ. Atkins for 12 barrels of ale, which by the Mayor's order he supplied the Army on his Maj. birth-day.

That George Crofts, Cooper, whose father served Ald. Christopher Crofts, and said George having served most part of his apprentiship to Henry fitz Gerald, a freeman of this City, be admitted free at large paying 5 guineas.

Mr. Mayor produced this day, on oath, his account of the Corn bought and sold for the use of the poor, and the money he received on said account from the Chamberlain, and what he paid the Chamberlain; and there appearing that the sum of £359 14*s.* 11*d.* ballance is in the Mayor's hands, ordered, that said account be laid before the C. D. H., and that the Mayor pay the ballance to the Chamberlain.

This day the Common Speaker was sworn in Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor elect, the Recorder; Ald^en^. Bennet, Atkins, Austin, Baldwin; both Sheriffs; Mr. Carré, Browne, Piercey, and C. S.

4 *Oct.*, 1740.

That Mr. Hignet Keeling's Bill for an entertainment for the Speaker of the House of Commons and one of the Lords Justices, amounting to £85 12*s.* (to which he was sworn), be paid.

That Mr. Robt. Hoare's Bill of cost for law business, £80 3*s.*, be paid.

That £10 10*s.* 9*d.* be paid John Dennis for timber for making South Gate; also £22 8*s.* 8*d.* to John Ireland, for ironwork for same; also £9 12*s.* 3*d.* to Thos. Daunt, for workmanship.

That £7 2*s.* 7*d.* be paid John Dennis for timber for South Shambles; also £3 4*s.* 5*d.* to same for timber for Blackrock weir; also 18*s.* 7*d.* for timber for repairing Fishamble Bridge.

That £6 16*s.* 6*d.* be paid Ald. Atkins and Mr. Lane, C. S., to be by them distributed as they shall think fit among the persons that were active in extinguishing the late fire which happened at the Globe; also £1 2*s.* 9*d.* paid by Mr. Mayor to people on that occasion.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Mr. Recorder; Alden^n^. Bennett, Atkins, Austin, Millerd, Baldwin; Mr. Sher. Terry and Phillips; Mr. Carré, Dring, Brown, Piersey and W. Lane, C. S.

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11 *Oct.*, 1740.

Harding Parker, Esq., Mayor.

Mr. Mayor sworn Council man, with Sheriffs Fuller and Clarke.

Ald. Millerd this day produced on oath his account of the corn bought and sold for the use of the poor and what he paid, and there appearing no ballance, ordered, it be laid before C. D. H.

That Mr. Hugh Millerd's account this day produced on oath of the corn bought and sold for the poor, &c., it appears that £24 19*s.* 11*d.* ballance is in his hands, referred to C. D. H.

That £15 *per annum* be paid Mrs. Meher Lane, widdow of William Lane, burgess, as a pension on account of the misfortune of the late fire, which greatly damaged her house.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Huleat, Fuller, Jun.; Sheriffs Fuller and Clarke; Mr. Carré, Dring, Tho. Browne, and Lane, C. S.

28 *Oct.*, 1740.

No business done.—Rob. Hoare, Cler. of Co^l^.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Bennett, Millerd, Jackson, Croker, W^m^. Fuller; both Sheriffs; Mr. Carré, Travers, Dring, Browne, and Lane, C. S.

19 *Nov.*, 1740.

That Sheriff Fuller be paid £27 14*s.* 4*d.* for clothes for the Exchange Porter, the Blue Coats, and lodgings for the Speaker.

That Mr. Carré and Dring examine Mr. John Maunsell's accounts of the Green Coat and Bretridge's Hospitals, and report.

That the Corporation take up at interest £600 at 5 *per cent.*, towards discharging Corporation debts.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Bennett, Millerd, Croker, Baldwin, Fuller, both Sheriffs; Mr. Carré and Owgan.

5 *Jan.*, 1740.

It appears that the House of Commons of Great Britain have under consideration an act to prohibit for a time the exportation of corn and other provisions out of Great Britain, Ireland, and his Majy's. colonies in America, and it is apprehended if butter be included in said Act it would be of the greatest prejudice to the kingdom in general and the trade of this City in particular; ordered, that Mr. Robt. Hoare apply to Mr. Recorder to draw up a petition against Butter being included in said act, to be laid before the Lords Justices, and to transmit same to the Lord Lieut.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Bennett, Millerd, Austin, Huleat, Croker, Jackson, Wm. Fuller; Sheriff Fuller; Mr. Browne and Lane, C. S.

14 *Jan.*, 1740.

That the apartment wherein Mr. Borson apothecary lately lived, and that now in the possession of Ellinor Soully, both under the City Court House, and adjoining the main guard, be put in repair for the safe keeping of the Fire Engine of this City, and keeping the coal bought for the use of the Corporation, and that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Wm. Fuller, and Mr. Tho. Browne do oversee the work and keep the Engine in repair for twelve months, and employ proper persons for said purpose at the charge of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Alden. Bennett, Millerd, Huleat, Croker, Jackson, Wm. Fuller; both Sheriffs; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, Piersey, and Lane, C. S.

31 *Jan.*, 1740.

By order of Council 8 May, 1738, Ald. Sam. Croker was requested to assist Mr. Danl. Crone for one year in collecting the gateage, &c., and that he should have a reward, and as he did assist Crone, ordered, that he have at the rate of £50 *per annum*, and that he be continued to assist said Crone for a year from date hereof at said salary.

That £45 be raised for Mr. Tho. Wallis, to discharge the rent of the house and cost of ejectment that was left the Mayor and Bishop of Cork for a Mathematical lecturer, Wallis giving security for same to be approved of by Mr. Mayor, Recorder, and two gentlemen out of the Commons.

Whereas John Blanchett's widdow is very poor and her husband a diligent officer in the receipt of the petty duties, ordered, she be paid £10 on account of her husband discharging said trust.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Baldwin, W^m^. Fuller; Sher. Fuller; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, Piersey, and Lane, C. S.

Whereas an unknown person was found dead at Shandon Church Gate, who was shot and wounded in several parts of his body by some one unknown, ordered, that Mr. Mayor publish a proclamation promising a reward of £20 to any person who in six months shall discover the person or persons guilty of said crime, that they may be apprehended and convicted.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Bennett, Atkins, Croker, Millerd, Baldwin, Fuller; two Sheriffs; Mr. Owgan, Carré, Dring, Browne, and C. S.

27 *Feb.*, 1740.

That the Mayor's Salary be augmented £135.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Atkins, Huleat, Croker, Millerd, Jackson; two Sheriffs; Mr. Owgan, Carré, Piersey, Dring, and C. S. (*postea*), Ald. W^m^. Fuller.

16 *March*, 1740-1.

That John Bowes, Esq., his Maj. Attorney-General, and one of the Judges of Assize at present for the province of Munster, be presented with his freedom in a silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Millerd, Croker; both Sheriffs; Mr. Owgan, Browne, Piersey, and Lane.

26 *March*, 1741.

Part of the apartment wherein Mr. Boylan formerly lived, under the City Court House, and adjoining the Engine House, is set to Thos. M. Lane, seedman, for one year, at £8 *per annum*.

That £10 a week for ten weeks, to be computed from 18 March, inst., be paid weekly to Mr. Carré, treasurer for the poor, for the feeding of the poor of this City.

The reconveyance of a fee-farm lease that was formerly made to Edwd. Hoare, Esq., of the Marsh or Island near Dunscombe's Marsh, this day delivered us by Mr. Robt. Hoare, is registered. The grass of said Marsh or island is agreed to be set for one year to Noblett Johnson, at £2 6s.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en. Croker, Baldwin, Newman, Fuller; Sher. Fuller and Clarke; Mr. Owgan, Dring, Browne, and Piersey.

10 *April*, 1741.

Ordered, that the Mayor do send their Excellencies the Lords Justices a representation to the following purpose under the Mayoralty Seal.

To their Excellencies the Lords Justices General and Gen. Governors of Ireland.

The Petition of the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Corke Showeth:

"That there is at present a very great scarcity of all sorts of corn in this City, and especially of wheat, so that by computation there is not a sufficient quantity to save the inhabitants for more than three weeks, and no prospect of being supplied from the country adjacent, or other parts of this kingdom, and their only hopes of speedy relief would be from that part of Great Britain called England, leave being given to export corn from thence hither."

Your petitioners pray that you will please represent this matter to his Maj^y.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., heretofore presented the Government of this kingdom for leave to build a Magazine for the powder imported into this City, at their own expense, in the North West bastion of the old fort, and the Government having laid this matter before the Lords Justices of England, who gave an order for liberty to build same, which was transmitted to the Mayor, and the place having been inspected and a plan taken of the Magazine to be erected, and the expense computed to be £203, Agreed, that Mr. Mayor send a letter to the Secretary, by him to be laid before the Government (a copy whereof is hereunder written).

"Sir,

"Some time ago I acknowledged the favour of yours of 22 of Oct. last, enclosing a copy of the Regency's letter for building a Magazine for

powder in this City, and would have given a full answer before, but it was thought necessary first to take the dimensions of the place and form a plan of the building and an estimate of the expense, &c.

"I am directed by this City to inform you that, as the Corporation at their own expense are willing to build such separate Magazines as by the Government is required, so that the powder belonging to the Government and the City may not interfere, and also that such Magazines should be built under the direction or inspection of an Ingineer belonging to the office of Ordnance, but as the Corporation are to be at the charge of building a Magazine for the Government as well as for the City, they humbly hope their Excellencies do not intend that the City shall also pay such Ingineer so to be employed, at this time, particularly, which it is not in a capacity to do, in that the fund has been exhausted and the Corporation in debt, by the large provisions made for the poor in the late and present calamitous times, and building a new Market place and Market house and Granary. They also hope that they shall have the appointment of a person to take the charge of that in which the Merchant's powder is to be lodged, who shall be put in and displaced from time to time at their will, and to have free access to the said Magazine at all convenient times."

Your most Obe^t. and most humble Serv^ts.

Present—Mr. Mayor, the Recorder; Ald^en. Bennett, Atkins, Croker, Millerd, Fuller; Sher. Fuller; Mr. Owgan, Carré, Dring, Browne, the C. S. (*postea*), Ald. Hawkins.

6 *May*, 1741.

Ordered, to accept Tho. Clement's proposal for paving the Main Street from the Grate next to Mr. John Maunsell's dwelling house outside North Gate, to the Grate next to Tho. Sally's former dwelling house outside South Gate, from Channell to Channell in the breadth, also under the two Gaols, for £60 ster., and to keep said street in good repair for 21 years, at £15 per year, and to give security, and at the end to deliver up the said street new paved as delivered to him.

That a guinea be paid by Ald. Croker to give some Soldiers and Sailors that were very active in extinguishing the fire in Bandon Road.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Jos. Bennett; Ald^en. Knapp, Hawkins, Bennett, Croker, Huleat, W^m. Fuller; Sher. Fuller; Aug. Carré, and W^m. Owgan.

21 *May*, 1741.

Whereas there issued an order from the Court of King's Bench this term directed to the Mayor and Ald. Baldwin, to show cause why they should not be attached on an affidavid of Tho. Keighry filed in said Court, ordered, that the charges be met by the Corporation, and that Mr. Hoare direct the defence and write to the Recorder for his advice.

That the Rev^d. Mr. John Baily be paid 7 guineas for seven sermons.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Hawkins, Newman, W^m. Fuller, Geo. Bennett; Mr. Geo. Fuller, A. Carré, R. Dring, T. Browne, J. Piersey, and Lane, C. S.

10 *June*, 1741.

That lodgings be provided at Mr. Sheriff Fuller's for His Excell. Henry Boyle, Esq., one of the Lords Justices, and an entertainment be provided at the expense of the Corporation at Mr. Mayor's House, who is to be paid £30 for said entertainment.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Hawkins, Bennett, Croker, Fuller, Jackson, Baldwin; Sheriffs Fuller and Clarke; Aug. Carré, Dring, Browne, Piersey, and Lane.

23 *July*, 1741.

Mr. William Kesterson, Jun., was sworn Common Speaker in the Council.

That for paying several workmen, and materials taken up for the building of the Corn Market, paving streets, &c., £600 be taken up at interest at 5 *per cent. per annum, viz.*, from the Rev^d. Archdeacon, Mr. Thos. Russell and Ald. Ambrose Jackson, £190 from Mr. Sheriff Will. Clarke £410, the Mayor, &c., shall pass bonds to such persons as they appoint.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Huleat, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Jackson, Baldwin; Sheriff Clarke; Aug. Carré, R. Dring, Esq., T. Browne, and J. Piersey.

3 *Aug.*, 1741.

That Arthur Blener Hassett, Esq., one of the Judges of Assize for the Province of Munster, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins,

G. Fuller, W. Fuller; Sheriffs Fuller and Clarke; Mr. Carré, Dring, Piersey, Kesterton, C. S., and Ald. Baldwin.

22 *Aug.*, 1741.

That £8 14*s.* 8½*d.* be paid Tho. Dyer, Glasier, for plumber's work done at the Tholsel.

That £12 11*s.* 2¾*d.* be paid Thos. Woods for the rent of the Guard Room, Candles, &c., at Water's Mills.

That 3 guineas be paid Mr. Saml. Wakely for lodgings for Sergeant Bettesworth.

That 8 pounds be paid for an Entertainment at Blackrock with the wine now in the Court House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Hawkins, Bennett, Millerd, Austin, G. Fuller, W. Fuller; Sheriff Fuller; Robt. Dring, and J. Piersey.

29 *Aug.*, 1741.

That £23 12*s.* be paid Mr. W^m. Hare for Candles, from 4 Oct., 1738, to 4 Oct., 1740.

That £9 12*s.* be paid Ald. Robt. Atkins for 6 Barrels of Ale supplied 30 Nov., and same 29 May, to the army, being rejoicing days.

That Peter, eldest son of Jacob Laullie, *dec.*; William, eldest son of Ald. W^m. Hawkins; Benjamin, eldest son of Charles Whiteing; James Huleat Creed, having served Ald. Huleat; William, eldest son of John Wakeham, *dec.*; Richard, eldest son of W^m. Roberts, Merch^t.; George, eldest son of Tho. Woods; William Martin, having served Alexander Martin; Thomas, eldest son of John Mansell, and William, eldest son of Richard Freeman, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Austin, Millerd, Croker, Huleat; the two Sheriffs; Mr. Owgan and Piersey (*postea*), Ald. Fuller and Baldwin, and Mr. Dring.

I protest against admitting Benj. Whiting or George Woods free at large, as eldest sons of Freemen, while their fathers are living.—Will. Owgan.

12 *Sep.*, 1741.

The Lamp Act for this City has expired and a new act will be necessary, but with some alterations from the late one.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor apply to our Representatives to obtain an act for erecting lights in this City, and that a power should be vested in the Mayor, &c., to appoint a person to erect Lamps for this City, that this Council may appoint any sum not exceeding 15*s.* each year for providing and feeding each Lamp which they shall put up in the Streets, Quays, Lanes, and Suburbs of this City, and that said sum be applotted by five persons to be appointed by the Vestry in each parish, to be raised on the inhabitants of such parish, with this restriction, that no rate upon any one house shall exceed five shillings, nor any one house less than one shilling, such vestry to meet once every year on the first Monday after the 24 June, to elect said applotters, and in case of failure of such Vestry to meet, the Mayor and any four Aldermen shall choose such applotters, also that by said act no power be given to raise or distrain any more than one year's arrears, and Mr. Mayor is further desired to correspond with the city of Limerick and Waterford to know their sentiments with respect to their joining in such Lamp Act.

That £4 1*s.* 2*d.* be paid Hignell Keeling to complete his bill for the entertainment at Blackrock 26 Aug. last.

That £6 16*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. James Crooke for lodging Arthur Blener Hasset, Esq., one of the Justices of Assize on last circuit.

This day Mr. Hugh Millerd was sworn into the Council in the office of Common Speaker.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Hawkins, Bennet, Austin, Millerd, Huleat, Baldwin, Fuller; Sheriff Fuller; Mr. Dring, Owgan, and Mr. C. S.

30 *Sep.*, 1741.

That Mr. John Croker's bill of costs from Trin. Term, 1740, to *do.* 1741, £22 18*s.* 10*d.*, be paid him.

That Henry Martin's bill for Candles, £14 1*s.* 9*d.*, from 14 Oct., 1740, to 9 inst., be paid.

That Mr. Russell Wood's bill of costs, £14 3*s.* 2*d.*, prosecuting, and feeing lawyers, be paid him.

That Ald. Bennett furnish the Mayor's Gallery with four large Prayer Books.

Ordered, that Rodolphus Chadwick, having served Ald. Morley; John

Taylor, having served his brother William; and Joseph Gubbins, having served Joseph Dios, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Austen, Huleatt, Baldwin, Wm. Fuller; Sheriffs Fuller and Clarke; Mr. Owgan, Dring, Browne, Piersey, Millerd, and C. S.

10 *Oct.*, 1741.

Richard Bradshaw, Esq., Mayor.

Mr. Mayor, and Mr. Sher. Taylor, and Mr. Sher. Winthrop sworn Council Men during the time they are Sheriffs.

By order of Council, 12 Sep., to apply for an Act to erect Lamps; in case we cannot obtain said Act, we desire our Representatives, Emanl. Piggot, Esq., and Matthew Deane, Esq., to apply that the power of erecting said lamps may be vested in them, and we order the Chamberlain to answer such bills as they shall draw for obtaining said Act.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Hawkins, Bennett, Millerd, Atkins, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Fuller, Baldwin, W. Fuller; Mr. Owgan, Dring, Tho. Browne, Millerd, and C. S.

Mem. Mr. Mayor summoned a Council upon an extraordinary occasion for this day, but there being a dispute between the Sheriff and Recorder, in respect to place, Mr. Mayor proposed that each of them should choose a lawyer to peruse the Charter, which is to take place, and make their award. The Mayor was obliged to adjourn the Council without doing any business, to prevent further disputes.—18 Oct., 1741, Robt. Hoare.

24 *Nov.*, 1741.

The question being put, whether the Mayor and Sheriffs are the presidents of this Council, there were 11 for and 10 against it; ordered, that for the future they be deemed presidents.

That the dispute between the Sheriffs and Recorder in relation to place in the Council be referred to the Lawyers.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Knapp, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, G. Fuller, Jackson, Farren, Newman,

Baldwin; Sheriffs Taylor and Winthrop; Mr. Carré, Owgan, Travers, Dring and Browne.

We protest against the order, because a motion was made to postpone the question to another Council day according to usage; the question was, notwithstanding, put, and especially against appointing the Sheriffs Presidents of the Council being contrary to the Charter and Common usage.—Geo. Bennett, Rob. Atkins, Jos. Austen, Geo. Fuller, Amb. Jackson, Aug. Carré, Tho. Browne.

27 *Nov.*, 1741.

Whereas the Mayor was served with an order of the Committee of the House of Lords, dated 24 Nov., that he should attend said Committee on Monday, 14 Dec. next, with Charter of King James I., that of Eliz., and King Charles I. Ordered, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Comon Speaker do deliver said Charters to Mr. Robt. Hoare, and that he attend said Committee with said Charters.

That Thos. Hungerford, having served Messrs. William and Parr Thompson; William, eldest son of Edwd. Travers, Esq.; John Sweet, having served Sheriff Winthrop; William Skeys, merch^t^., having served Benjn. Winthrop; Dodsworth, eldest son of Alex. Mitchell, and John eldest son of George Rye, Esq., *dec.*, be admitted free.

That Mr. Russell Wood be admitted Deputy Clerk of the Council, taking the customary oath, and keeping their debates secret.

That Francis Roch, Jun., having served Francis Roch, Sen.; Thomas, eldest son of Charles Cottrell; Joseph, eldest son of Richard Harrison; Mr. G. Godfrey, eldest son of Saml. Godfrey; Henry Wigmore, having served Mr. Thos. Wade, be admitted free. Also, that Hon^l^. Henry Hamilton, Esq., Collector of Corke, be presented with his freedom in a silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Taylor and Winthrop, Mr. Recorder; Alde^n^. Knapp, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Huleatt, Pembrock, Fuller, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Baldwin; Mr. Carré, Owgan, Traverse, Dring, and Browne.

2 *Dec.*, 1741.

Mr. Russell Wood sworn Deputy Clerk of the Council.

That Mr. Stephen White, having served Boyle and Lennox and subse-

quently Jas. Calwell; Edward Pierse, having served Holland Goddard, mercht.; John Fleming, Jun., having served John Fleming, Sen.; Redmond, eldest son of James Barry, Esq., *dec.*; Robert Ash, eldest and only son of Roger Ash, clothier; Joseph, having served his father, Francis Gray; Joseph, eldest son of Tho. Haddock, *dec.*, and John Saml. Taverner, having served the present Mayor, be admitted free.

That £2 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid Adam Newman, Esq., by him expended for printing the assize of bread, &c.

That Danl. Sullivan, having served Robert Pellican, Clothier, *dec.*, be admitted free.

That Mr. Hoare be empowered to treat with the Tipstaff of the Court of King's Bench, and treat with him for clearing the charges of an attachment awarded against Ald. Parker on the complaint of Tho. Keightly, and that he have power to draw for whatsoever he shall compound for.

That the Chamberlain pay Mr. Jonas Devonshire all rent, arrears, &c., due to him from the Corporation, for the ground of the Cattle Market.

That the Chamberlain pay Edmd. Roche, Esq., guardian of Francis Roche, gent., all arrears of rent out of that part of the Exchange held under said Roche.

That Mr. Hoare lay the Charters of this City (which are to be taken before the House of Lords) before Mr. Recorder, for his perusal in presence of one of the Sheriffs and Com. Speaker.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Taylor and Winthrop; Aldmen. Knapp, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Farren, Newman; Mr. Carré, Owgan, Travers, Dring, Browne, and C. S.

I approve of all the foregoing orders except admitting Robert Ash free without reference to the C. D. H., he not having served seven years to a freeman, and being only the eldest son of a freeman now living.—Will. Owgan.

18 *Dec.*, 1741.

That the Recorder deliver up the Old Council Book, with any other Books or Papers belonging to the Corporation of this City, to Mr. Mayor, on his demanding or sending for ye same.

That one or more Bill or Bills in equity be filed, or suit or suits at Law

commenced or carried on at the expense of this Corporation, against William Fuller, late Mayor of this City, and against all parties touching the trust reposed in him with regard to Corn, meal, and flour; the moneys issued to pay for same; to have particular accounts of the sale of all corn, &c., disposed of for the use of this City, and that persons be appointed for conducting said suits.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Taylor and Winthorp; Ald^en^. Knapp, Millerd, Huleatt, Pembrock, Farren; Mr. Owgan, Travers, Dring, and Com. Speaker.

12 *Jan.*, 1742.

Willm. Owgan, Esq., Mayor.

The two Sheriffs took the oath taken by the Common Council, as Sheriffs.

The Common Speaker also was sworn.

That Ald. Millerd, Mr. Carré, Dring, and Travers, with the persons nominated by the C. D. H., be appointed to settle the several public accounts of the Chamberlain, Waterbailiff, and other officers of this City.

That Tho. Clements be paid £15, one year's salary, for paveing the streets.

That £3 17*s.* 1*d.* be paid Ald. Bennett, for books and printing work for the use of the Corporation.

That £22 4*s.* 4*d.* be paid John Richardson, chandler, for candles from Oct., 1741, he making oath before the Mayor of the truth of his account.

The Charters of Queen Eliz., James I., and Charles I., also the two old Council Books some time since delivered to Mr. Recorder, were returned and lodged in the Corporation chest.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith and Millerd, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, G. Fuller, Jackson, Farren, Newman, W^m^. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Morrison, Carré, Travers, Dring, Browne, and Wade, C. S.

28 *March*, 1743.

Whereas the Council broke up 12 Jan. last, before the several orders of that day (and mentioned in the next proceeding page) were signed, and the

said orders having been this day read over, resolved, that same are hereby approved and confirmed.

That the Hon. Arthur Dawson, Esq., one of the Barons of His Maj. Court of Exchequer, one of the Judges this present Assizes, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

That the persons hereinafter mentioned be impowered as a Committee to consider what number of lamps are requisite to be erected within this City and liberties thereof: Mr. Mayor and Ald. Croker, outside the South Gate, and S. Nicholas; Ald. Bennett and Sher. Smith, for Christ Church parish; Ald. Millerd and Mr. Dring, for St. Peter's parish; Ald. Bradshaw and Mr. Carré, for St. Paul's Parish; Ald. Huleatt and Ald. Jackson, for Shandon Parish; and every member of Council to have power to join with the before-mentioned gentlemen in said regulation and report.

That public notice, to be affixed to the Exchange, be given by order of Mr. Mayor, to the several workmen in this City, for their giving in proposals for making 400 lamps.

That the Bills of Costs of Mr. John Kennedy, £62 9*s.* 6½*d.*, Mr. Robt. Hoare, £26 7*s.* 8*d.* in the cause of the Corporation against Ald. Fuller and others, be paid.

That said Robt. Hoare's bill of costs, £23 17*s.* 11*d.* for near three years' agency and approbations for several Mayors and Sheriffs, ending last of Oct., be paid.

That Mr. Hoare fee the Recorder for his advice concerning a writ *ad quod damnum*, lately issued to the Sheriffs, for holding four fairs yearly, for ever, at Carrigrohan als. Killegrohan, and the Recorder to attend the inquiry.

That Mr. Hoare fee the Recorder and other lawyers as he shall be directed by the Mayor, for opposing the granting of a Charter which the Brewers of this City are endeavouring to obtain, and for opposing any Charters which any others shall endeavour to obtain.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith and Millerd, Mr. Recorder; Aldcn. Knapp, Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleat, Croker, Pembroek, Geo. Fuller, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Wm. Fuller, Parker, Bradshaw; Mr. Morrison, Carré, Travers, Dring, and Browne.

We protest against the charges of the Law Suit commenced against Ald. Wm. Fuller, as the order for sueing him was most irregularly obtained,

and not pursuant to the laws and rights of this Corporation.—Harding Parker, Jo. Bennett, Recorder; Wm. Hawkins, Jo. Austin, Geo. Bennett.

I agree to the above and protest against the Sheriffs signing before me. —Amb. Jackson.

18 *April*, 1743.

Whereas fishing with nets in the Lough of this City greatly tends to the destruction of the fish in said Lough, and the spawn, ordered, that no person shall for seven years fish with any net or nets in said Lough.

That Mr. Francis Austin's bill for cloathing the Blue Coats and 'Change Porter for 1742, £11 16*s.* 6*d.*, be paid.

That Danl. Satterford be paid 14*s.* 8*d.* for hats for the Blue Coats and 'Change Porter.

That Mr. Thom. Price's bill for tar barrels, from 1738 to Nov. last, £11 7*s.*, be paid.

That Mr. Hoare write to Mr. John Croker, attorney in Dublin, to enter a *caveat* in the Hanaper, against issuing any writ *ad quod damnum* for holding fairs or markets on that part of the lands of Carrigrohan, in co. Cork. It appears by an inquiry this day, held on writ, directed to the Sher. of this City, that such fairs would be a damage to the Mayor, &c., to the value of £100 *per annum*, and also to the inhabitants of said City.

That Mr. Mayor write to the Government to know their pleasure in relation to a letter written by the Corporation to them, 10 Ap., 1741, concerning the building a magazine for keeping the citizen's gunpowder.

That William, eldest son of Meade Dunscombe, *dec.;* Boyle Travers, mercht., who served Tho. Bousfield; John W., mercht., eldest son of Benj. Wetherell, *dec.;* George Baxter, butcher, eldest son of George Baxter, butcher, *dec.;* John Sankey, mercht., who served Messrs. John Harper, Henry Mitchell and John Armstead; Richd. Norris, mercht., who served his father, Wm. Norris, mercht.; Oliver Wheeler, mercht., who served Jon. Hingston; John Gifford, eldest son of Lieut. Gifford Craven, *dec.;* Christopher Beare, butcher, who served Stephen Grant, butcher, *dec.;* James Eyre, only son of James Wakes, gent.; Thomas Wise, butcher, eldest son of Francis Wise, *dec.;* John Perry, mercht., who served his father; Saml. Perry, gent.; John Cossard, mercht., who served his father, Peter Cossard.

That the Chamberlain pay Mr. John Yeamans £20, to be by him paid to Saml. Moxley and Edwd. Mark, in consideration of their giving up part of

the ground on which their houses lately stood in the North Suburbs, for the benefit of the public, to range on a line from said Mark's house to the buildings of Benj. Wetherall, to remain for ever part of the common street, said sum of £20 to be paid said Yemans upon trust for said Moxley and Marks in one month next after they shall begin to build their several houses to the front part thereof.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith and Millerd, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Knapp, Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Geo. Fuller, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Wᵐ. Fuller, Parker, Bradshaw; Mr. Carré, Travers, Dring, and Browne.

We agree to the before mentioned orders, but protest against the Sheriffs signing next to the Mayor.—Joseph Austin, Harding Parker.

11 *July*, 1743.

This Day, Mr. Moses Allenett, Common Speaker, was sworn as such into the Council.

The question being put, whether shall Lamps be erected in Shandon, Paul's, Peter's, and Christ Church Parishes, and also in the parts measured without South Gate, as the statute directs, or not; the members present being poled, there appeared for the question nine, against it three, and five who voted neither for nor against it, but in general for lamps being erected in the whole City and Liberties; ordered, that the lamps be accordingly erected.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith and Millerd; Aldᵉⁿ. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Austin, Huleat, Croker, Pembrock, Geo. Fuller, Jackson, Newman, Wᵐ. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Carré, Travers, Dring, Browne, Moses Allenett, C. S. (*postea*), Ald. Farren.

We, the underwritten, are the persons who voted for the Lamps to be lighted throughout the whole City and Liberties, pursuant to Act of Parliament: Joseph Austin, Amb. Jackson, Wᵐ. Fuller, Harding Parker, Aug. Carré, Tho. Browne.

15 *July*, 1743.

That Henry Cavendish, Esq., Collector of the Port of Cork, be presented with his freedom in a silver box. That John Colthurst, Esq.; John Rogerson, Esq.; Heywood, eldest son of Warham Sᵗ. Leger, Esq., *dec.*; Henry,

eldest son of Connell Vereker, Esq., *dec.;* Richard Moore, chandler, paying £5, and Rich^d^. Gaggin, butcher, paying £5, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith and Millerd; Ald^en^. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Geo. Fuller, W^m^. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Carré, Dring, and Browne.

18 *June*, 1743.

Present—(No business recorded) — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Geo. Fuller, Jackson, Newman, W^m^. Fuller; Mr. Carré, Travers, Browne, Mr. Allenet, Com. Sp., and Mr. Dring.

21 *July*, 1743.

This board having information that several Journeymen Weavers have on the present day, early in the morning, assembled in a tumultuous manner in divers parts of this City, with intent to disturb His Maj. peace, and by threats have terrified several of His Maj. subjects, ordered, that a proclamation be issued, offering £10 to such person who within three months shall prosecute to conviction one or more of said offenders. And further, that it be inserted that such as shall be guilty of such like offences for the future shall be prosecuted with the utmost severity of law.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Hawkins, Bennett, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Geo. Fuller, Jackson, W^m^. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Browne and the C. S.

18 *Aug.*, 1743.

That Richard Mountney, Esq., 2nd Baron of his Maj^ys^. Court of Excheq., and one of the Justices of Assize for the Munster Circuit, be presented with his freedom in a silver box usual on such occasions.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Knapp, Hawkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Newman; Mr. Carré, the C. S., Ald. Geo. Fuller, W^m^. Fuller, Harding Parker; Mr. J. Piercy and Ald. Austin.

16 *Sep.*, 1743.

That Joseph K., clothier, eldest son of Will. Kesterson, the younger, baker, *dec.;* Will. Finch, who served Will. Delahoide, *dec.;* Jonathan Morgan, mercht., who served Willm. Winthrop; Rich^d^. Smith, cooper, who served John Smith and Jonathan Winthrop; Simon, only son of Robt. Dring;

Warham, eldest son of Heyward S. Leger, Esq.; Robt., eldest son of Eaton Stannard, Esqre.; Charles Hilliard, clothier, who served Robt. Pellican, *do.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldn. Knapp, Hawkins, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Jackson, Wm. Fuller, Parker, Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, Allinet, C. S., and Mr. Piersy.

19 *Sep.*, 1743.

This day the following Bonds were lodged in the Corporation Chest:

A Bond perfected by Mr. Joseph Franklyn and Edmond Knapp, Esqr., for £1500 for Francklyn's discharging his office of Chamberlain.

Like by Mr. Stephen Hopkins, Chamb., and Hugh Millerd, Esq., and Mr. Skeyes, for £2000 as above.

Three Bonds, each of £500, perfected by Edmd. Knapp, John Colthurst and Edwd. Hoare, the younger, Esq., Weighmasters of this City, and their securities, to wit, Henry Maunix security for Ald. Knapp, John Barry for John Colthurst, and Hugh Lawton for Edwd. Hoare.

That Abraham Puttham, mariner, eldest son of Lewis P. Cooper, *dec.*, be admitted free.

That 13 shillings a-year be allowed to such person as shall be appointed to erect and maintain Lights in this City and Liberties, pursuant to an Act lately made, for each lamp to be erected and maintained therein, and that thereout the sum of one shilling a-year for each lamp so erected be annually paid by such person to the Chamberlain for the use of the Corporation, until they be reimbursed the money expended in obtaining said Act, and when repaid, the sum of 12 shillings a-year, and no more, be allowed for such person for erecting and maintaining, &c., each of said Lamps, and who shall be appointed, shall give a bond for said 12 pence.

This day, Henry Whetcroft and Thomas Mitchell were appointed to erect and maintain Lights in this City and Liberties, on condition that they give security within the time mentioned in said Act, for the discharge of their duty, which is 21 days.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith; Aldn. Hawkins, Atkins, Austen, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Wm. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, Piersy, and Allinet, C. S.

26 *Sep.*, 1743.

That £8 18*s.* 7¼*d.* be paid John Ireland, for Smith's work; £7 17*s.* 5*d.* to John Richardson, Chandler, for candles, from 15 Jan. to 17 inst.; £6 15*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Daniel Crone, for 50 barrels of coals, measuring and porterage; £22 1*s.* 3¾*d.* to Gabriel Newth, glazier, for work done at the New Corn Market house, and sawder for said work; £14 12*s.* 4¼*d.* to Rich^d. Noble, glazier, for work done on the Exchange and Shambles, and sawder supplied; £1 18*s.* 8*d.* to Tho. Dyer, glazier, work done to City Court House, Guard House at Blackpool, to 5 July last; 18*s.* 4½*d.* to John Batty, for brooms, turf, &c., to 30 July; £1 4*s.* 1*d.* to Will. Owgan, Esq., paid by him for scales and beams and weights, and measuring the distances for lamps, &c.; £2 5*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Mayor and Sher. Smith, to be distributed amongst those who assisted in extinguishing the fire which lately broke out in Colman's Lane. That the Chamberlain pay Mr. John Harper a bill drawn by Mr. Preavero on the Mayor for News sent to the Corporation for several years past.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith; Ald^en. Hawkins, Atkins, Austin, Huleat, Croker, Geo. Fuller, W^m. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Browne, Piersy, and Allenett, C. S.

24 *Oct.*, 1743.

Randall Westhrop, Esq., Mayor.

Mr. Mayor sworn Council man. Sheriffs Wrixon and Harding sworn of the Common Council as Sheriffs.

That John Roger's proposal for painting the Corporation Gallery in Christ Church and the King's Arms is approved of, and when done to have £8 18*s.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, G. Fuller, Jackson, W^m. Fuller, Parker, Owgan; Mr. Carré, Travers, and Dring.

22 *Dec.*, 1743.

Whereas the Brewers of this City have lately obtained a Charter from His Majesty, for incorporating them into a body Corporate, and it is considered by this board that the granting said Charter is an infringement on the privileges granted to this City by the Charters thereof, whereby the Mayor, &c., are empowered to appoint several sub-corporations of trades

within the City; ordered, that copies of the City Charters and said Charter obtained by the Brewers be laid before the Recorders of Cork and Dublin, for their opinion, and that Mr. Hoare fee them and have their opinions, whether the Mayor or any of the Justices of the Peace of said City are obliged or not to swear the Master and Wardens of said Company.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Aldⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Geo. Fuller, Jackson, Wᵐ. Fuller, Parker, Owgan; Mr. Carré, Travers, Dring, and Allenet, C. S.

11 *March*, 1743.

That the Honᵉ. Genˡ. Philip Bragge be presented by the Town Clerk with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the Rᵗ. Hon. Wᵐ. York, Esq., one of the Justices of the Common Pleas and Justice of Assize for this Circuit, be presented by the Town Clerk with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the Clerk of the Council or his Deputy do attend the Recorder to get him to draw up an address to his Most Excellent Majʸ., to assure him of our intense abhorrence of the Pretender, his sons, or any persons that should countenance or undertake any thing to disturb his Majʸ. in our present happy Establishment, preserved and supported by His Majˢ. great care, and that we are ready to support His Maj. with our lives and fortunes.

Whereas we have great reason to believe that His Majˢ. fleet commanded by Admiral Mathewes have defeated, and, in a great measure, destroyed, the combined fleets of France and Spain, ordered, that as soon as the news be confirmed, that the Mayor cause two hogsheads of wine to be bought and bottled to entertain the General officers and principal Inhabitants of the City at the Council Chamber.

Present—Mr. Mayor, two Sheriffs, Recorder; Aldⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Austen, Croker, Jackson, Wᵐ. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Carré, Traverse, Dring, Browne, and Allinet, C. S.

3 *April*, 1744.

Whereas the Brewers of this City have served the Mayor, &c. with a *mandamus* from the Court of King's Bench to swear the Master and Wardens appointed by a Charter which said Brewers have lately obtained, infringing the priviledges of our Charter, ordered, that Mr. Hoare imploy

our Recorder to draw up a proper return on said *mandamus*, and defend same before said Court of King's Bench.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Sher. Wrixon and Harding; Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Jackson, Newman, W. Fuller, Parker, Owgan; Mr. Travers and Browne.

10 *April*, 1744.

Whereas by order of the Government war is to be this day proclaimed against France, ordered, that Mr. Mayor do provide wine (including the wine which remains of that lately provided on the last rejoicings), in order to drink this evening at the Council Chamber success to his Majesty's arms on declaring said war.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Hawkins, Atkins, Millerd, Austen, Huleatt, Croker, Jackson, Wᵐ. Fuller, Parker; Mr. Carré, Dring, and Browne.

30 *April*, 1744.

Mem. No business done this day, signed, Rob. Hoare, Clk. Coᵗᵉ.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Jackson, Wᵐ. Fuller, Owgan; Mr. Dring, Browne, and Allinet, C. S.

8 *June*, 1744.

That £42 1*s*. 2*d*. be paid John Croker, Esq., for his bill of costs due on Several Suits.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Jackson, Wᵐ. Fuller, Owgan; Mr. Carré, and C. S.

22 *June*, 1744.

The persons appointed to erect and maintain Lamps have returned to this Board that the following number of Lamps are necessary to be erected, to wit, 114 in the Parish of S. Mary Shandon, 65 in S. Paul's, 100 in S. Peter's, 133 in Holy Trinity, and 26 in S. Nicholas and part of S. Bridget's; ordered, that for supplying the lamps for the year next ensueing the sums mentioned be raised on said parishes, £74 2*s*. on S. Mary Shandon, £42 5*s*. on S. Paul's, £65 on S. Peter's, £86 9*s*. on Holy Trinity, and £16 18*s*. on S. Nicholas and part of S. Bridget's, at the rate of 13 shillings for each lamp.

That a Memorial be preferred to the Government to procure station and convoy ships for the protection of our trade.

We protest against the above order, because the Parish of S. Finn Barry's is not mentioned in the said order, and that the said Parish ought to have Lamps and be lighted as well as the other Parishes for the benefit of all inhabitants.—Joseph Austen, Harding Parker, Aug. Carré, James Piersy.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Parker; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, Piersy, and Allenet, C. S.

28 *June*, 1744.

(No business recorded.)—Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Hawkins, Atkins, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Owgan; Mr. Morrison, Browne, Piersy, and Allenet, C. S.

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3 *July*, 1744.

Mr. Richᵈ. Gaggin, C. S., took the oath of a Councilman as Common Speaker.

That Arthur, eldest son of the Revᵈ. John Pomeroy, *dec.*, Archdeacon of Corke, be admitted free.

This day Ald. Fuller and Ald. Parker, having petitioned the Council to be allowed their expenses in defending a complaint for a breach of priviledge made against them to the House of Lords by the Lord Bishop of Corke and Ross, on account of their quartering soldiers in Sᵗ. Finbarry's, said aldermen, before the question was put, withdrew from the Council Chamber by order of the Board, according to the rules. The question being put, it was ordered, that £258 18*s.* 4*d.* be paid in full of all demands concerning said complaint, affidavit being made that so much has been expended.

That £30 be paid Robᵗ. Hoare, Esq., his expense in attending the House of Lords with the Charters.

That Thomas Light, Merchᵗ., who served Stephen Winthrop, Merchᵗ., be admitted free.

The case of Joseph Bennett, Esq., concerning a lease made by his father, Mr. Edward Bennett, to one John Bohilly, of a house and plot of ground in Bandon Road, which said Joseph alledges was mortgaged to Miles Martin in trust for the Corporation, ordered, that it be referred to the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Ald. Atkins, Mr. Hoare and Wood.

That £239 10*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. John Dennis for timber for building the

Corn Market, and interest due him; ordered, that a bond for said sum be executed by the Mayor, &c., to said Dennis, with interest at 5 per hundred.

That £22 6*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. John Kennedy, his bill of costs in the suit of the Corporation against Ald. Fuller and others.

That £10 7*s.* 5*d.* be paid John Rogers for painting the King's Arms and Corporation gallery at Christ Church.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Knapp, Hawkins, Atkins, Millerd, Austen, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Jackson, Farren, Fuller, Parker, Owgan; Mr. Carré, Travers, Dring, Browne, Piersy, and Gaggin, C. S.

11 *Aug.*, 1744.

Whereas James Osvil stands charged with the murder of John Cummins on board a ship lying in the river near Cove, within the harbour and county of this City, and stands indicted at this present assizes in the Crown office of said City, and whereas the present Grand Jury of the Co. of Corke, under colour that said river doth belong to said County, hath found an indictment for the said fact at the assizes now held for said county, and as it is conceived by this board that the rights of said City are manifestly invaded, ordered, that Mr. Hoare fee the Recorder, and also Mr. Smyth and Mr. Walsh, two of the King's Council, and Councillors Macnamara and Fitz Gibbon, in what manner the rights of the City are most properly to be defended on this occasion, and to support said rights on the tryal of said indictment found by the Grand Jury in the Co. of Corke.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Atkins, Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Jackson, Farren, Fuller, Parker, Owgan; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, and Gaggin, C. S.

22 *Oct.*, 1744.

William Winthrop, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs, as such, took the oath severally of a Council man.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Cox and Philpott; Ald^en^. Hawkins, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Farren, Fuller, Parker; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, and Gaggin, C. S.

That George Norris, Merch^{t}., who served his father, William N., Merch^{t}.; Henry, eldest son of Henry Wallis, Esq., *dec.;* Robt. Williamson, Merch^{t}., paying £30; Addis, only son of William Busteed, *dec.;* James Chatterton, Gent., only son of Thos. C. Mason, *dec.;* Stephen Denroche, Mariner, paying 5 pounds; and Danl. Engain, Merch^{t}., only son of Danl. E., *dec.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Farren, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westropp; Mr. Dring, Travers, Browne, and Gaggin, C. S.

19 *Jan.*, 1744.

Whereas Capt. Roger Brettridge did, by his last will, devise the lands of Drumcummer to the Mayor, &c., for ever, for the uses in said will, and amongst others that the surplus of rents and profits arising out of said lands after the payments to be made to seven poor men in Brettridge's Hospital shall be disposed of towards the binding apprentices the children of poor soldiers of the Protestant religion, if such be had in the City of Corke or liberties thereof, and if no such children are to be found, then such other poor children of Protestants, whose parents are not able to put them out, and did thereby direct that after the death of his, the said Bretridge's wife, Standish Hartstong, now Sir Standish H., during his life should have the nomination of such poor men and children, and after his death, then for ever after the Mayor and Recorder of Corke, and the Minister or Incumbent of S. Mary Shandon and their successors, shall have the nomination of such poor Protestant men and children, or any two of them whereof the incumbent of said Church to be one, and whereas there is a surplus of the rent of said lands in the hands of Mr. John Maunsell, the Recorder; ordered, it be applied towards the binding the children of poor soldiers, Protestants, and if such be not found, such other poor children of Protestants whose parents are not able to put them out.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Philpott; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp; Mr. Carré, Dring, and Browne.

8 *Feb.*, 1744.

That the middle loft in the Corne Market be the place appointed as an Armory to keep such arms as shall be received from the Government for

the use of the Militia of this City, said place to be put in proper order to receive them.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sir Richd. Cox, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller; Mr. Carré, Dring, Browne, and Mr. C. S.

28 *Feb.*, 1744.

Whereas an anonymous paper was about two days ago fixed up at Mr. Mayor's house and in other places of this City, whereby his Worship was highly menaced, which paper consists of false misrepresentations, and was published with intent to spirit up a mob and disturb the peace of this City, and whereas a mob did in consequence assemble on this present day in a riotous manner, and would have done great mischief to the inhabitants of this City had they not been prevented by the Civil power, aided by the Army; now, to bring the author of said paper to Justice, ordered, that a Proclamation be immediately issued offering a reward of £20 to any person who, within the space of six months, shall discover and afterwards prosecute to conviction the author of said paper or the person who fixed it up, or any of their accomplices.

That 5 guineas be paid the Mayor, to be by him distributed amongst the Army, for their trouble this day in suppressing the mob.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Philpott, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp; Mr. Dring, Browne, and Gaggin, C. S.

March 20, 1744.

The Council were ordered to attend this day to consider what was to be done on account of the Commissioners of revenue having ordered the Measure made use of to be altered. The persons hereafter mentioned attended, to wit.

Mr. Mayor, Sher. Philpott; Alden. Millerd, Croker, Fuller, and no other, so for want of a sufficient number the Council could not be held.—Russell Wood, Clk. of Council.

30 *March*, 1745.

Whereas two attachments issued forth of the Tholsel court of this City against the goods of Andrew Arnold, the first at the suit of Fade and Wil-

cocks, the other at the suit of Ald. Fuller, and whereas the present Mayor, &c., have given judgment in favour of the first attachment, notwithstanding that on the second judgment was first obtained, and whereas an order has been made by the Court of King's Bench for an attachment to the Tipstaff to issue against said Mayor, &c., for giving said judgment, unless cause be shown to the contrary next term. It was proposed that the expenses of defending said order be defrayed by the Corporation; the question being put, there were 13 for and 4 against passing said question; ordered, that the expenses be paid.

Ordered, that a state of the Citie's case with regard to the Salt Barrel made use of for measuring and discharging salt now time out of mind, and which the Commissioners of the Revenue have directed their officers here not to suffer to be longer made use of, be forthwith drawn and laid before Philip Welsh, Esq., one of His Maj. Council at Law, in order to his laying before the Commissioners the evil of altering the said Barrel, and that Mr. Hoare fee said Mr. Walsh.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cox and Philpott; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Jackson, Newman, Fuller, Owgan, Westhropp; Mr. Dring, Carré, Travers, and Browne.

10 *April*, 1745.

That Robt. Hoare, Esq., be paid £101 4*s.* 9*d.*, law expenses for sending up to the Court of Exchequer certificates of several Mayors, &c., sworn into office.

That £23 0*s.* 1*d.* be paid to John Croker, Esq., his bill of costs for approbation of the present Mayor, &c., and opposing the *Mandamus* brought by the Brewers for being sworn under their Charter.

That £5 18*s.* 10*d.* be paid to Edwd. Richardson, Esq., one of the six clerks in Chancery, his bill of costs in the cause of the Mayor, &c., against Ald. Fuller, and said Mayor at the suit of Richd. Davies and his wife.

That £14 19*s.* 1*d.* be paid John Richardson, Chandler, for Candles sold and delivered for the use of the Corporation, from 26 Sep., 1743, to 25 Sep., 1744.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Cox and Philpott; Alden. Knapp, Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Newman, Owgan, Westropp; Mr. Browne, and Gaggin, C. S.

1 *May*, 1745.

Whereas Mr. Mayor and Mr. Sher. Philpott have been served with a common law subpœna at the suit of Rich^d. Bodkin, on account of sending said Bodkin to gaol for giving insolent language to them; ordered, that the expenses of said suit be defrayed out of the revenues of the Corporation.

The persons appointed to inspect the public accounts having drawn up a remonstrance, in which were these words included in a parenthesis (which we apprehend to be contrary to the Bye-Laws, and therefore to remedy such inconveniences some method should be taken to prevent the same in future); the question being put whether said words shall be expunged or not out of said remonstrance, carried in the affirmative.

That the Chamberlain pay the several sums of money heretofore ordered to sundry persons, notwithstanding the orders of Council for said sums have been read but once in the C. D. H.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westrop; Mr. Carré, Travers, Dring, and Browne.

We protest against expunging the remonstrance. — Robt. Atkins, Jos. Austin, W^m. Fuller. Harding Parker, Aug. Carré.

8 *May*, 1745.

Whereas it appears that the Town Clerk's office is not sufficient for keeping the Records thereof, ordered, that a floor be made over the Petty Jury Room, and that a passage into the same be made from the Musick Gallery, the upper part to be made fit for keeping the said Records, and that Jehoshaphat Huleatt, overseer of the public works of this City, do oversee said work.

That £450 be borrowed from Adam Newman, at £5 for one hundred by the year, towards discharging debts due to sundry persons by the Corporation.

It appears by the accounts of Mr. Joseph Francklyn, late Chamberlain, that he owes a ballance of £43 12*s.* 5¼*d.*; ordered, that the bond which he gave for discharge of his office be lodged in the hands of Mr. Stephen Hopkins, present Chamberlain, to be delivered to said Francklyn on his paying said sum to Hopkins.

That a letter of Attorney be perfected to Stephen Hopkins, to empower him to receive and distrain for all rents, &c., due to said Corporation.

The Chamberlain having returned arrears of rents and other debts to the Corporation from sundry persons, many of which are disputed, ordered, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Ald. Croker and Owgan be appointed to inspect into the nature of the demands and peruse the leases, and report.

That Jehoshaphat Huleatt be allowed £28 10*s.* for receiving £570 0*s.* 4½*d.* in the South Milk Market, and that the remaining part of his ballance, £18 1*s.* 7¼*d.* be remitted said Huleatt in consideration of his going to Dublin on account of the Corporation, &c., and several good services.

That the £450 borrowed from Adam Newman, Esq., be paid to the Chamberlain.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cox and Philpott, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Austin, Huleatt, Newman, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Browne.

15 *May*, 1745.

No business for want of nine of the Council being present with the Mayor and Sheriffs.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Fuller, Parker, Owgan; Mr. Carré, Dring, and Rich. Gaggin, C. S.

2 *July*, 1745.

This day, Mr. Robt. Newenham, Common Speaker, took the oath of a Council man.

Ordered, that £26 9*s.* 8*d.* be paid John Croker, Esq., agent in Dublin for defending the Mayor, &c., on account of their giving judgment in the Tholsel Court in a cause between Will. Fuller, Esq., and Andrew Arnold, and in another at the suit of Fade and Willcox against said Arnold, also recording the certificate of the Mayor being sworn, &c., in the Exchequer.

That £63 13*s.* 3*d.* be paid Rev^d^. John Baily, three years and three-quarters salary for attending the City Gaol, also twenty-three occasional Sermons preached before the Corporation.

That £15 2*s.* 8*d.* be paid Mr. Elias Mainandue for liveries supplied the Blue Boys and 'Change Porter, in Sep., 1743.

That £12 5*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Mr. Francis Austen for liveries supplied said Blue Coats and 'Change Porter, in Sep., 1744.

That £30 8*s.* be paid Rob. Atkins, Esq., for 38 barrels of ale supplied the Army at sundry times from 30 Oct., 1743, to 13 June last.

That £100 belonging to the poor of Christ Church parish be taken up at 5 pounds for one hundred for one year, to discharge the debts of the Corporation.

"The foregoing orders stand vacated, as they are not signed by the Mayor, Sheriffs and Council."

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Newman, Owgan, Westropp; Mr. Dring, Travers, and Robt. Newenham, C. S.

20 *July*, 1745.

Mem. I summoned a Council for 5 o'clock this evening, and gave 48 hours notice, and no members attended, but Ald. S. Croker, Amb. Jackson, and the C. S.—Will. Winthrop, Mayor.

Sep. 16, *do.* There only attended Alden. Austin, Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Fuller, and Tho. Browne.—Will. Winthrop, Mayor.

Sep. 26, *do., do.* Sher. Philpott, Alden. Austin, Croker, Owgan, Westropp, Mr. Dring.—W. Winthrop, Mayor.

17 *Oct.*, 1745.

Walter Lavit, Esq., Mayor.

The Mayor and Sheriffs as such took the oath of Common Council men.

It appearing that the South Bridge is greatly endangered by throwing rubbish into the South Channel above said bridge, ordered, that Mr. Mayor direct the Waterbailiff that no boat do take ballast in any other place until same be entirely removed.

The Council having considered the remonstrance, that the Commissioners of array are of opinion that in order to execute the orders of the Government, for training and exercising the Militia of this City, it is necessary that a sum of money be raised to pay for what Colours, Drums, Standards, Halberts, and Grenadiers' Caps should be necessary, ordered, that the aforesaid materials be provided, and that Mr. Mayor, the Sheriffs, Ald. Atkins, Jackson, and the C. S. be appointed a committee.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Foord and Bruce, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Winthrop, Westrop, and R. Newenham, C. S.

25 *Oct.*, 1745.

Mr. Pigott, one of our representatives, having by letter informed the Mayor that a motion had been made in the House of Commons, to inform them that next Wednesday it would be proposed to provide such a number of arms as may be thought necessary to put the kingdom into a proper defence, and that the House would take into consideration the defenceless condition of the Towns and Garrisons of this Kingdom, and that he thought it his duty to put the House in mind that the Harbour of Corke was entirely open to an enemy, and that as the securing of it might be of the utmost consequence not only to Ireland but to Great Britain, he hoped they would consider how it may be effectually secured. Mr. Mayor on receipt of said letter convened the Council and consulted with several merchants on the subject, who all agree it will be of service to the public, and conduce to the safety of this harbour and the Kingdom in General, to have a fortification built on some convenient place within this harbour, under proper regulations not injurious to trade. Ordered, that Mr. Mayor be desired to write the sentiments of this board to Mr. Pigott.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bruce, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthropp; Mr. Travers and Rob. Newenham, C. S.

14 *Nov.*, 1745.

The Items are the same as under 2 July, 1745.

On this day, 14 Nov., the orders could not be signed, Ald. Hawkins having withdrawn from the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Foord and Bruce; Alden. Hawkins, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Owgan; Mr. Dring, and R. Newenham, C. S.

20 *Nov.*, 1745.

Items as above (2 July) with the following:

To John Croker, Esq. (*inter alia*). The cause of the Mayor at the suit of Richd. Davies and others; same at suit of Emanuel Pigott, Esq., and the cause at suit of Richd. Bodkin against the late Mayor and Sher. Philpott.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., perfected a Bond to John Pick of the City of Corke, mercht., dated 27 Oct., 1729, for £200, conditioned for payment of £100 with interest £5 for £100 for one year, which bond was paid off by the Rev^d. Mr. John Baily, curate of Christ Church, with the £100 lodged in his hands by Mr. Benj. Roberts, *dec.*, for charitable uses, and the bond was delivered by Pick to Baily, and said Baily hath applied to this board to have a new bond perfected by the Corporation to the Rev^d. Dean Goldsmith and said Baily and their successors; ordered, that it be perfected, and that Ald. Millerd and Mr. Dring be appointed a committee to state an account of what interest is due, &c.

That £47 9*s.* 4½*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., a bill of costs in the cause of Rich^d. Bodkin against Will. Winthrop, Esq., late Mayor, and Usher Philpot, Esq., late Sheriff, in which bill the sum of £15 18*s.* 6*d.* paid by the late Mayor, the expense of a witness brought down from Dublin and sending an express to Dublin.

That £180, now in the hands of the Lord Bishop of Corke and the Archdeacon, for charitable uses, be borrowed by the Corporation at interest, £5 for £100 for a year, for discharging Corporation debts, and that a bond be perfected by the Mayor to the Right Rev. Jemmett, Lord Bishop, and Rev. Will. Reader, Arch^d. of Cork.

That £140 belonging to the poor of S. Peter's be borrowed at the rate aforesaid for said purpose, and a bond perfected to the Minister and Church Wardens of said parish, by the Mayor, &c.

That £15 a year be paid to Margaret, widow of James Crooke, burgess, *dec.*

In consideration of the necessitous condition of the Widow and children of Ralph Vize, *dec.*, who was serviceable to this City in taking care of the Fire Engines, ordered, that £10 be given as charity to said widow, on giving up the materials belonging to said engines in her hands.

That £4 9*s.*, or thereabouts be paid to Owen Flemming, for stabling the troop horses of the Militia the several nights they mounted guard and patrolled.

That the Chamberlain pay the Sergeants and Corporals of the standing Army, who instruct the Militia, such sum by the week as Mr. Mayor shall direct, as well for time past as to come, as his Worship shall think proper.

Ordered, that 66 Halberts, 44 Drums, 2 Grenadiers' Caps, and 2 pair of Colours for the foot Militia; 2 Standards, 2 Trumpets with tassels, and one pair of Kettledrums with Banners for the horse Militia of this City, be forthwith provided on such reasonable terms as Mr. Mayor, Ald. Atkins, Major Persy, Mr. Tho. Browne, and the C. S. can agree for same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Foord and Bruce, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Newenham, C. S.

9 *Dec*, 1745.

The Council broke up without doing business, by the withdrawing of Ald. Fuller from the Council room before the Council began, signed by order, Russell Wood, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, and Mr. Newenham, C. S.

12 *Dec.*, 1745.

Ordered, that Ephraim Cooke, Esq., Commander of the Private Ship of war, called the Ambuscade, who has taken and brought into the harbour a Spanish ship loaden with arms and ammunition, and supposed to be bound for Scotland for the Pretender's service, be presented with his freedom of this City in a Silver box for his good service.

That Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, and Robt. Travers, Esq., with the persons appointed by the C. D. H., be a Committee to audit the accounts of the Chamberlain, Collectors of Gateage and Customs, Waterbailiffs and other officers who receive the revenues of the Corporation, &c.

That Aldcn. Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, and Robt. Travers, Esq., be a committee to receive such information as Ald. Croker offers himself ready to give, for preventing the Corporation being defrauded, as it is said they have greatly been hitherto, and for improving the revenues of this City, and report.

That £28 10*s.* 8¾*d.* be paid Mr. Thos. Wood, which, with £6 4*s.* 3*d.* formerly paid him by Mr. Danl. Crone, is in full of said Wood's account for house rent and candles for the Blackpool Guard for 5 years, ending Michælmas last.

That £34 2*s.* 6*d.* be paid Walter Lavit, Esq., Mayor, expenses in giving

two entertainments to the Citizens and Gentlemen of the Army on the day of the King's Coronation and his Maj. birth day.

That the Chamberlain accept and pay a bill of Exchange for £50 drawn on him by Mr. John Kennedy, agent for the Corporation, their suit against Ald. Fuller, employing lawyers, and other expenses.

That £42 19*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., the Corporation agent, bill of costs in the cause of the Mayor, &c., against Will. Fuller, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Newenham, C. S.

1 *Jan.*, 1745.

That His Excellency Philip, Earl of Chesterfield, Lord Lieut. of Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a gold box with the City arms engraved thereon, which box we desire our representatives, Sir Rich^d. Cox, Bart., and Eaton Stannard, Esq., Recorder of Dublin, to present, the price of the box not to exceed £30.

That William Bristow, Esq., Secretary to the Lord Lieut., be presented with his freedom of this City in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Hawkins, Millerd, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Newenham, C. S.

20 *Jan.*, 1745.

The C. S. this day preferred to this Board a Petition in the name of the Commonalty as follows:

"To the Mayor, &c. That the C. D. H. came to a resolution in the words following: That the C. S., in the name of the Commonalty, prefer a petition to the Council that the suit depending against Ald. Fuller and others in the name of the Corporation, be dropped, and that the whole costs be paid by the Corporation, and your Petitioners will pray.—Rob. Newenham, C. S."

On a poll being taken for complying, 8 votes against 11, ordered, that it be not complied with.

Whereas a bill of Exchange for £50, in the suit of this Corporation against Fuller, hath been drawn by Mr. John Kennedy, agent, for costs, taking depositions and feeing lawyers, &c., and the said bill hath been pro-

tested for non-payment, and hath since been paid under protest for the honour of the drawer, and whereas the question was put whether the bill shall be paid by the Corporation to the person who under protest so paid the same for the honour of the drawer, a poll being taken for payment of bill, 14 votes against 6 votes, ordered, that the Bill be paid.

That Alex. Stuart, who served Holland Goddard, Merch^t.; John Webb, Merch^t., only son of James Webb, *dec.;* Edward, only son of Richard Hoare, Esq., *dec.;* Andrew Peace, Apothecary, who served Charles Bery; George Piersy, Merch^t., eldest son of James Piersy; Joseph Lavit, Merch^t., eldest son of Walter Lavit, Esq., Mayor; Rowland, eldest son of John Raymond, Esq.; Thomas Good, Merch^t., who served Ald. Winthrop; William Wheeler, Merch^t., who served Joseph Popham, Merch^t.; Saml. Austin, Merch^t., who served Ald. Austin; George Randall, Merch^t., who served Saml. Randall, be admitted freemen at large.

That Mr. Robt. Newenham be paid £25 by quarterly payments, as Adjutant of the Militia of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Knapp, Hawkins, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Pembrock, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, Newenham, C. S.

"We protest against the order of Council for not complying with the Commons petition for dismissing the Bill against Ald. Fuller, and to the order for payment of £50 on account of the law suit against Ald. Fuller being before rejected by the Commons in the Court of D. H."

W^m. Hawkins, Robt. Atkins, Joseph Austin, Amb. Jackson; W^m. Fuller, Harding Parker.

30 *April*, 1746.

Ordered, that Mr. Sher. Bruce, Ald. Croker, and the C. S. do provide a hogshead of wine and some punch to drink His Maj. health this evening, on the arrival of the joyful news of His Maj. Army having conquered and subdued the rebels in Scotland.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Bruce; Ald^en. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Owgan, Westropp; Mr. Travers, Browne, and Newenham, C. S.

1 *Oct.*, 1746.

This day Mr. George Godfrey, C. S., as such, took the oath of a Common Council Man.

That £20 18*s.* 2½*d.* be paid to Robt. Hoare, Esq., bill of costs in the cause of Bodkin against Ald. Winthrop and Mr. Burgess Philpott.

That £14 7*s.* 11*d.* be paid Ald. Croker, his expenses in travelling to Dublin to give his testimony before the House of Lords on a complaint made by the late Lord Bishop of Corke and Ross against Ald. Fuller and Ald. Parker for a breach of priviledge in quartering soldiers in the manor of S. Finbarries.

That £15 11*s.* 1*d.* be paid Ald. Austin, his expenses to Dublin on the account mentioned in the foregoing order:

Whereas there is reason to apprehend that several frauds have been committed by the under Collector of the Customs and Gateage of this City, ordered, that they be immediately removed from their respective offices, and that others, of the Protestant religion, be put in their stead, giving security for £20 for discharge of their offices.

Whereas Mr. John Kennedy, agent for the Mayor, &c., in their suit against Ald. Fuller and others, did draw a bill of Exchange for £50 for defraying charges of extracting copies of depositions, feeing Lawyers, &c., which bill was protested for non payment, and afterwards paid under protest for the honour of the drawer, and as an order of Council of 20 Jan. last was made for paying said sum, and as said Kennedy since hath furnished this board with his bill of costs, amounting to £97 4*s.* 10½*d.* The question being put whether said sum of £97 4*s.* 10½*d.* be paid or not, there being 12 votes for and 4 against, ordered, that said bill be discharged.

That £26 15*s.* 2*d.* be paid Mr. Sher. Bruce for wine, &c., by him furnished to the Corporation on meeting to celebrate the success obtained by His Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland against the Rebels in Scotland at the Battle of Culloden on 16 April last.

That £16 16*s.* be paid Ald. Atkins for 21 Barrells of ale given to the army on several rejoycing days, from 20 Jan. to 30 April last inclusive.

That £15 10*s.* 4*d.* be paid Mr. Frans. Austin for liveries furnished to the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter 12 Sep., 1745.

That 9 shillings be paid Nicholas Seymour for sconces and burners furnished to the Corporation.

That £11 14*s.* 3*d.* be paid the Widow and Administrators of Abrah^{m}. Allen, who kept the Sign of the Sun for stabling the horse guard's horses of the Militia during the last year.

That £3 19*s.* 3½*d.* be paid Mr. Geo. Hodder for two silver boxes for the freedoms of Capt. Eph^{m}. Cooke and W^{m}. Bristow, Esq.

That £1 11*s.* 6*d.* be paid Garrett Hodnett for stabling the horse of the Militia Horse Guards last year.

That £11 be paid Mr. Rich^{d}. Good for furnishing the Corporation with an account of all ships and their cargoes invoiced at the Custom House for five years and one half past.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., did perfect a bond dated 3 Sep., 1741, to the Rev^{d}. Arch^{d}. Tho. Russell and Ambrose Jackson, Esq., for £380, conditioned for payment of £190 and interest, which bond is now vested in Mr. Will. Clarke, ordered, that on said Clarke's giving up said bond to be cancelled, a new bond be executed to him by the Mayor, &c.

That Thomas Hedges, eldest son of Abrah. Farren, gent.; John, eldest son of Tho. Newenham, Clothier, *dec.;* John Smith, Merch^{t}., who served Tho. Wade, Merch^{t}.; Hugh Parker, Merch^{t}, who served William Harding, Burg.; Robert, eldest son of Robt. Hoare, Esq.; John, eldest son of Daniel Satterford, felt maker, whom he served; Hodder, eldest son of Francis Power, Burg., *dec.;* Peter, eldest son of Mathurin Ardowin; Robert, eldest son of Saml. Austin, Merch^{t}., *dec.;* James Ellis, Merch^{t}., who served Walter Lavit, Esq., Mayor; Henry Harding, Jun., who served Joseph Deyos, Merch^{t}.; Rev. James Delacourt, Clk., eldest son of John D., Esq., *dec.;* George Hodder, Silversmith, whose Grand Father was the first Protestant Mayor of this City, and gave a Silver Tankard and a Mace as a present to the Staple Society; Amos, eldest son of James Godsell; William, eldest son of Francis Armstead, Merch^{t}., *dec.;* Abraham Lane, Clothier, who served Henry Lane; John Coghlan, Cooper, who served Jonathan Winthrop, Cooper; Saml., eldest son of William Sealy, Merch^{t}., *dec.;* John, eldest son of Rev^{d}. Giles Eyre, Dean of Killaloe; Richard, only son of Caleb Sinderbee, Merch^{t}.; the Rev^{d}. Doctor St. John Browne, LL.D.; the Rev^{d}. William Reader, Archdeacon of Corke; and Robt. Deane, Esq., be admitted freemen at large of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect; Sheriffs Foord and Bruce; Ald^en^. Knapp, Atkins, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Newman, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, Browne, and Godfrey, C. S.

3 *Oct.*, 1746.

Present—(No business recorded)—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Foord and Bruce, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Knapp, Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Farren, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, Browne, and Godfrey, C. S.

14 *Oct.*, 1746.

William Taylor, Esq., Mayor.

That £16 19*s.* 9*d.* be paid Messrs. Isaac Bussy and Willm. Lawton, for candles from 11 Oct., 1745, to 4 Sep. inclusive.

That the Chamberlain accept and pay a Bill of Exchange for £12 14*s.* 6*d.* drawn on him by Mr. Walter Pallisier, for one year's English News, a set of English Votes of the House of Commons of Great Britain, and copies of two Acts of Parliament.

That £3 10*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Will. Holmes, Esq., for a livery for Fra^s^. Adams, one of the Blue-Coats.

That £7 13*s.* 2*d.* be paid Mr. Elias Mainaduc, for liveries for the Exchange Porter, and Walter Wild one of the Blue Coats.

That £11 5*s.* be paid Ald. Winthrop for erecting stairs in the Corn Market House.

Agreed by mutual consent that the cause between the Mayor, &c., and Ald. Fuller be stopped by consent, the bills filed on both sides discontinued, and each party pay their own costs.

That £2 5*s.* 6*d.* be paid Will. Stratton for his trouble in summoning and attending the Commissioners of array.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs, as such, took the oath of a Council man.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Bury and Holmes; Ald^en^. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Newman, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Godfrey, C. S.

20 *Oct.*, 1746.

That £150 be paid Ald. Fuller for his extraordinary trouble and expense in the time of his Mayoralty, occasioned by the calamities of the Great Frost.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Parker, Westropp, and Winthrop.

4 *Nov.*, 1746.

That Lieut.-Gen. Sinclaire be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That Commodore Thorpe Fowke, Esq., be likewise presented.

An order of Council of 1 Jan. last past was made for presenting his Excellency the Lord-Lieut. with his freedom in a Gold box, for which (by order) a bill was drawn by Mr. Deane, one of our representatives, which the Chamberlain did not accept; ordered, that he accept it and pay it with the charges that have accrued by non-payment.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Holmes; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Westrop, Winthrop, and Lavit.

26 *March*, 1747.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Rob. Hoare, Clke. Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Holmes; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Austin, Croker, Westhrop; Mr. Dring and Browne.

30 *March*, 1747.

That the Hon. Anthony Malone, Esq., His Maj. prime Serjeant, one of the Justices of Assize be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the ground belonging to the Corporation, and lying on the quay southward of the Bridewell, be enclosed with a stone wall of ten feet in height, and a gate thereto, agreeable to a plan drawn up by Ald. Croker, reserving a passage of ten feet in breadth between the Bridewell and the wall to be built at the north side of said ground, and reserving also a passage of six feet in breadth on the side next to the Town Walls.

That £44 14*s.* 8*d.* be paid to Robᵗ. Wrixon for lead for the use of the Corporation.

Whereas it appears that Ald. Newman, when Mayor, with the Sheriff,

Mr. Nathaniel Barry, wrote a letter 30 Oct., 1738, to the late Lord Bp. of Cork to give leave to fix stations for one or more Collectors of the City Customs in His Lordship's Manor of St. Finbarry, ordered, that a letter to the same purpose be written by the present Mayor and Sheriff to the present Bishop.

That £5 9*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Peter Prosser for brass badges for the Cleave boys of the Meat and fish Shambles and porters and scales and weights.

That £2 19*s.* 7*d.* be paid Tho. Cumming for printing-work done.

That £2 14*s.* 7*d.* be paid George Harrison for printing-work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bury and Holmes; Aldⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit; Mr. Travers, Dring, Browne, and Godfrey, C. S.

18 *Aug.*, 1747.

No business done, none appearing but those in the margin.—Robᵗ. Hoare, Clk. Conl.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Bury; Aldⁿ. Croker, Farren, Newman, Parker, Owgan; Mr. Travers, Dring, Browne and J. Weatherall, C. S.

20 *Aug.*, 1747.

That William Stockdale be appointed to inspect the several gateage accounts of this City, and report.

Whereas a Presentment was made by the Grand Jury at the last assizes, for raising a sum of money for repairing the public passage next to Mr. John Maunsell's dwelling-house, and turning an arch from the quay wall to the first pillar of North Bridge across the angle; and as it appears that the lodging of the said arch on any part of the said Bridge would greatly endanger the coming down of the said Bridge, ordered, that no part of said Bridge shall be broken down, nor any part of the said arch so presented, be lodged on or against said Bridge.

That £2 3*s.* be paid Will. Taylor, Esq., Mayor, so much expended by him for supporting Willᵐ. Burn, who gave evidence on behalf of His. Majy. against several pickpockets and other felons.

Whereas the tolls of the Corn Market have been set by the Mayors for the time being, without consulting the Council, and the Mayor Elect has asked the opinion of this board whether said Tolls shall be set for the

future by cant or not, ordered, that they be set by public cant to the highest bidder.

That Daniel, eldest son of John Crone, be admitted free.

This day, Mr. John Wetherall, C. S., took the oath of a Council man.

That John Travers, merch^{t}., who served Ald. Baldwin; George, eldest son of John Dempsy, clothier, *dec.*; Thomas, who served his father, John Williams, butcher; Charles Newman, gent., who served Ald. Delahoide some time; John Lapp, merch^{t}., who served Willm. Delahoide, *dec.*, and Keven Izod, merch^{t}., who served Messrs. Calwell, Lawton, and Carleton, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Bury and Holmes; Ald^{en}. Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Farren; Mr. Browne, Wetherall, C. S. (Afterwards), Ald. Newman, Austin, Fuller, Owgan, Winthrop, Parker, and Mr. Dring.

27 *Aug.*, 1747.

No business for want of sufficient numbers,—Robt. Hoare, Clk. Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Bury and Holmes; Ald^{en}. Millerd, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Browne, and Wetherall, C. S.

That the Hon. George Evans be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

31 *Aug.*, 1747.

That £24 be paid Ald. Atkins for supplying the soldiers with 30 Barrels of Ale.

Ordered, that John Crockford, having served W^{m}. Lehy; Richard, eldest son of Francis Power; Noe Jordan, having served Saml. Slocomb; Ja^{s}. Pyle, having served Jonathan Winthropp; John Reily, having served Willm. Sullivan; Miles Saterford, having served W^{m}. Saterford, butcher, one year, and being assigned to Robt. Long for the remainder; Henry Beere, having served Sherley Wilks and Luke Grant; William, eldest son of Rich^{d}. Daunt; John, having served William Saterford, butcher, be admitted free at large.

That the Rev^{d}. John Baily be paid £9 2*s.* for preaching occasional Sermons.

That Jasper Lucas, merch^{t}., who served Francis Austin, merch^{t}., be admitted free.

That £13 6*s.* be paid Robt. Travers for 42 Kilderkins of Barley delivered to Hugh Millerd, the younger, Esq., for supplying the markets for the use of the poor in 1740, over and above the 1000 Kilderkins ordered by the Council to be sold on that occasion.

That for the future no person shall be admitted a freeman at large on account of his servitude, who within nine months from the day of the perfection of his indenture doth not register the same in the Town Clerk's office; and that this order be posted up on the Exchange.

That £3 7*s.* 5*d.* be paid Willm. Owgan, by him paid to George Harrison for printing-work.

That £19 17 10½*d.* be paid Edwd. Stockdale for candles for the Corporation.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Bury and Holmes; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Parker, Rob. Travers; Mr. Browne, Ald. Fuller, C. S., Ald. Parker, Owgan, Winthropp, and Mr. Dring.

10 *Sep.*, 1747.

That Bellingham Boyle, Esq., Collector of the Port of Corke, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

It is the opinion of this Board, that it would be of great advantage, and increase the revenues of this City, to have three fairs held at the Lough every year, and that the committee consider what days will be most convenient, and to inquire whether by our Charters we can establish such fairs, and report; and in case we have not, that Mr. Hoare have an order to apply to the Government for a Patent.

That Ald. Croker assist Mr. Danl. Crone, collector of the gateage, in executing the directions we have ordered Mr. Hoare to sign for the better regulating the gateage and customs of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Holmes; Ald^{en}. Millerd, Croker, Newman, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Winthrop, Westhrop; Mr. Rob. Travers, and Tho. Browne.

17 *Sep.*, 1747.

No business for want of sufficient number. — Russell Wood, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bury and Holmes; Alden. Millerd, Austin, Croker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Browne, and Wetherall, C. S.

21 *Sep.*, 1747.

Second summons served; by the C. S. not attending could not proceed to business.—Robt. Hoare, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Holmes; Alden. Millerd, Croker, Owgan, Fuller, Westrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Browne.

28 *Sep.*, 1747.

It is the opinion of this Board that it will be of advantage to this City to have two Fairs yearly held at the Lough, one on Tuesday and Wednesday after 25 March, the other, Tuesday and Wednesday after 15 Aug. Ordered, that Mr. Hoare apply to the Government for Letters Patent for said Fairs over the two Fairs hitherto held.

That a New Milk Market be built in the Old Market Place, to a plan by Ald. Croker, and that Alden. Croker, Owgan, Westropp, and Rob. Travers, Esq., oversee said work, and that Thos. Clemmens, who has proposed to build said Market-place at the rate of 3*s.* 6*d.* a perch, be employed to perform the mason's work.

That £16 11*s.* 8*d.* be paid John Croker, Esq., Corporation Agent in Dublin, his bill of costs due in several causes, and for the approbation of the present Mayor, &c., and enrolling the certificates.

That £32 12*s.* 2*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., his bill of costs, due in several law affairs.

That £3 13*s.* 4*d.* be paid Edwd. Richardson, Esq., bill of costs in several causes.

That £7 16*s.* 2*d.* be paid Messrs. Isaac Bussy and Wm. Lawton, account for candles.

That £3 6*s.* 11*d.* be paid George Harrison, Printer, for work done 1744, and £2 17*s.* 1*d.* printing-work done 1746-47.

That £4 1*s.* 2½*d.* be paid for printing-work done by Ald. Bennett, in the Mayoralty of Ald. Fuller, and that £2 6*s.* 4½*d.* printing done by said Bennett in the Mayoralty of Ald. Parker, to the executors of said Bennett.

That Mr. Hoare buy the several Acts of Parliament made in this Kingdom, from the 7 year of his present Maj. to last Session of Parliament.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Bury and Holmes; Ald^en^. Millerd, Croker, Newman, Fuller, Parker, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, Browne, and Wetherall, C. S.

19 *Oct.*, 1747.

Hugh Millerd, the Younger, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs, as such, took the oath of a Council man.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Will. Busteed and Geo. Hodder; Ald^en^. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Dring and Wetherall, C. S.

Nov. 4, 1747.

A Council summoned to attend at 4 in the evening; no business for want of a sufficient number.—Russell Wood, Clk. C^l^.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed; Ald^en^. Millerd, Austin, Croker, Owgan, Winthrop; Mr. Dring and Wetherall, C. S.

16 *Nov.*, 1747.

Whereas of late persons keep standings in the streets of this City, for selling their goods and wares on other days besides markett days, which they have no right to do; ordered, that every person who shall keep such standings outside the porticos of the houses in the streets, shall for every day which they shall keep such standings pay to the Corporation the customs they usually pay on market days, only during the pleasure of the Corporation.

That a flight of stone stairs with iron rails be carried up at the north end of the Corn Market from the arch over the river to the door leading into the first floor, and that Ald. Croker and Owgan, with the Mayor and C. S., direct said work.

That the days the Army are to have drink are, the 11 and 30 Oct., 16 April, and 11 June, and on those days they are to have three Barrels of Ale, provided they draw up and fire before the Exchange.

That £15 1*s.* 7*d.* be paid Mr. Elias Mainandue, liveries furnished for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter.

Resolved, that a Petition be laid before the House of Commons, in the name of the Mayor, &c., for vesting in the Chief Magistrate of this City for the time being the office of Weighmaster, under the Butter and Tallow Act, and that our Representatives be applied to, to attend Eaton Stannard, Esq., Recorder of Dublin, to draw up said Petition, which is to be in substance agreeable to a plan now lying before this board, intitled, "Reasons conceived for supporting a Petition from the Mayor, &c., of the City of Cork, to the Hon^l. House of Commons, relating to Weighouses," &c., and that they use their best endeavours for obtaining such Act.

That Anthony, only son of William Lane, *dec.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

That £3 5*s.* 9*d.* be paid Ald. Winthrop by him expended for printing-work in 1745.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Travers, and Wetherall, C. S.

"I agree to all the above orders except the application to Parliament concerning the Butter Act, and that for the reasons following, *viz.*,

"1^ly. That it is a matter of so great consequence to the trade of this City that the same should be debated and considered in a full Council, and not on a Council on a second summons, which has been a frequent objection to business of great consequence.

"2^ly. That the paper produced to this Council, in my opinion, has not been properly considered or digested to be laid before the Parliament.

"Lastly. That our Representatives of this City ought to have been timely and properly applied to for that purpose. Therefore, I do protest against said order.

"JOSEPH AUSTIN."

(No date.)

A Council summoned for 4 o'clock; no business for want of a sufficient number.—Robt. Hoare, Clke. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Hodder; Ald^en. Millerd, Croker, Owgan, Winthrop; Mr. Travers, Dring, Browne, and Wetherall, C. S.

March 10th, 1747.

A Council summoned at 10 this morning; no business for want of a sufficient number.—Russell Wood, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldn. Croker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, and Mr. Dring.

18 *March*, 1747.

That the Honl. Robt. French, one of the Lords Justices of this present Assize, be presented with his Freedom in a Silver Box.

That £30 2*s.* 9½*d.* be paid John Croker, Esq., his bill of costs for procuring His Maj. Letters Patent for holding two Fairs annually at the Lough.

That £10 11*s.* which the Chamberlain paid for Votes and English News, on a bill drawn by Mr. Walter Pallisser on the late Mayor, be repaid him.

That the Charters of this City be delivered to Mr. Wood, to be produced on a tryal by *Nisi Prius*, to come on to-morrow, at the suit of Roger Conway against the late Sheriffs.

Present — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldn. Croker, Millerd, Jackson, Newman, Parker, Owgan, Winthrop; Mr. Dring, Browne, and Wetherall, C. S.

12 *May*, 1748.

That Ald. Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, and Robt. Travers, with those appointed by the C. D. H., be a Committee to audit the accounts of the Chamberlain, Collectors of Gateage and Customs, Waterbailiff, &c., to 25 Dec. last.

That Ald. Millerd and Robt. Dring be a Committee to audit the accounts of Mr. John Maunsell, concerning the Charities devised by the Wills of Mr. Brettridge and Mr. Skiddy.

This day, Mr. Wood delivered to the Mayor, &c., in open Council, five of the Charters granted to this City, and same were deposited in the Corporation Chest.

That the sum of £5 a year be allowed for an entertainment for the persons appointed to audit the public accounts of this City.

Ordered, that William Eason, mercht., who served Ald. Fuller, be admitted a Freeman.

That six quires of the oath of a Freeman be printed, and that every

Freeman for the future to be sworn have a copy of such oath delivered to him at the time of his being sworn.

That Jonathan Adams, who served Noblet Johnson, chandler, and Thomas, who served his father, Tho. Fuller, mercht., be admitted free.

Present — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Millerd, Huleat, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Dring, Browne, and Wetherall, C. S.

1 *July*, 1748.

This day Mr. John Skeys, C. S., took the oath of a Common Council man, as the Common Speaker takes same.

Present — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Millerd, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop; Mr. Browne, Dring, and Skeys, C. S

26 *July*, 1748.

That Thomas Mitchell have liberty to assign his office of one of the Lamp Masters of this City, and his interest in the Lamps and Materials thereto belonging, to Henry Duggan, and that said Duggan perfect a bond for discharge of said office pursuant to Act of Parliament, for erecting Lamps in this City and Suburbs.

That Ald. Millerd, Mr. Dring, and Ald. Taylor inspect Mr. John Maunsell's accounts relating to Skiddy's and Brettridge's Alms Houses, also Ald. Croker's accounts relating to S. Stephen's Hospital, and report.

That £8 be paid Peter Prosser for mending the crack in the Bell ordered to be put up in the City Court House.

That £10 be allowed for providing an entertainment at Black Rock Castle, on 1 Aug., when Mr. Mayor intends to hold a Court there for the Conservation of the Cities rights to the river and fishery thereof.

Ordered, that Charles, eldest son of Rich^d^. Hill, merch^t^., *dec.*; Robert, eldest son of Rev. Boyle Travers, *dec.*, who was eldest son of John Travers, gent, *dec.*, and John Cole, Cooper, who served Luke Wills, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor; Mr. Dring and Browne.

12 *Sep.*, 1738.

A Council summoned for 4 o'clock; for want of members no business.—Russell Wood, D.-Clk. of Council.

16 *Sep.*, 1748.

Ordered, that the passage between the North end of the Root Market and the North West angle of the Bridewell be paved, and that Jehosophat Huleatt do oversee said work.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed; Ald^en^. Millerd, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Lavit, Taylor; Mr. Browne, and Skeys, C. S.

24 *Oct.*, 1748.

Daniel Crone, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs, as such, took the oath of a Council Man.

That the Chamberlain pay a bill of Exchange for £10 7*s.* 6*d.* drawn by Mr. Walter Palliser on the late Mayor, for newspapers for the use of the Corporation.

That George Harrison, printer, be paid £3 15*s.* 6*d.* for printing-work done from 13 Oct., 1747, to 26 last May.

That John Plaince, Brewer, be admitted free paying £10.

That £300 be paid Mr. Mayor to the sallary of £200 already granted, so as to make same £500.

Whereas some persons have broke part of the Town Walls eastward of the South Gaol, and therein fixed a door and door-case, ordered, that said door, &c., be removed, and the breach stopped with stones and mortar, and that Jehosaphat Huleatt oversee said work.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Chatterton and Reily, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en^. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Lavit, Taylor, Millerd, Jun.; Mr. Dring and Skeys, C. S.

2 *Nov.*, 1748.

Whereas it appears by the examinations of several persons that the Constables of the watch and several gentlemen of this City, assistants to said watch, in order to prevent the robbing of houses in the night time,

and to apprehend a gang of thieves and robbers with which this City hath of late been infested, were, about 3 or 4 of the clock this morning assaulted, wounded, and falsely imprisoned in the execution of their office, without any provocation, by Robt. Fitz Gerald, a Lieutenant in the. Honl. Gen. Ottoway's Regt. of Foot, and then Capt. of the Main guard; and also, that John Reily, Esq., one of the Sheriffs of said City, who attended Mr. Mayor on that occasion, in order to preserve the peace, which was greatly disturbed by said Fitz Gerald and his associates, was in the presence of the Mayor insulted and grossly abused, and threatened by said Fitz Gerald. Ordered, that a Memorial be immediately laid before the Government, in the name of the Mayor, &c., to have said Fitz Gerald brought to justice.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Jackson, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor, Millerd, Jun.; Mr. Dring, and Mr. Skeys, C. S.

4 *Nov.*, 1748.

The Memorial of the 2 inst. was read and approved, with the alteration that it should be preferred to the Lords Justices, in the name of the Mayor, &c., and sent to Mr. Croker by this night's post, to have it laid before the Lords Justices without delay.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Owgan, Westhrop, Lavit, Tayler, Millerd, Jun.; Mr. Dring, and Skeys, C. S.

19 *Dec.*, 1748.

Mem. Not a sufficient number for doing business.—Robt. Hoare, Clk. Col.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Lavitt, Millerd, Jun., and Mr. Dring.

23 *Jan.*, 1748.

Mem. Not a sufficient number for doing business.—Robt. Hoare, Clk. Col.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Reily; Alden. Millerd, Croker, and Lavitt.

30 *Jan.*, 1748.

Not a sufficient number, &c.—Robt. Hoare, Clk. Co^{l}.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Alde^{n}. Atkins, Croker, Fuller, Owgan, Lavit, Winthrop; Mr. Dring.

15 *Feb.*, 1748.

Ordered, that the Clerk of the Council wait on the Recorder and desire him to draw an address from this City to His Maj^{y}. on his happy return to His British dominions, and on the conclusion of the Peace.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Reily; Alde^{n}. Croker, Owgan, Westrop, Lavit, Millerd, Jun.; Mr. Dring, and Skeys, C. S.

20 *March*, 1748.

That Robt. Marshall, Esq., Sarj^{t} at Law, one of the Judges of Assize, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That Thos. Pace, having shot Giles Phillips with a musquet-ball, from on board the Olive Tree sloop, within the harbour of Corke, near Spike Island, for which Pace has been indicted and has traversed said indictment in the City, and in case he should be demanded from the Sheriffs of the City, they are not to give him up, said river being in the liberties of the City, and if there be occasion for Council, Mr. Hoare, the agent, shall employ Council to support the Sheriff, and in case Ald. Parker, who took the examinations against Pace, be put to any expense, it shall be paid out of the revenues of the City.

That the Mayor and Council, as trustees to Brettridge's Hospital, do agree to set for the term of seven years all the interest they have in the coalpits on the lands of Dromcummer to William Fleming, miner, he to be at all expense in raising the coal or culm, to deliver one third part on the surface free and clear of all expence in consideration of the aforesaid liberties given him, and that Ald. Newenham is desired to agree with said Flemming pursuant to the aforesaid scheme, in which shall be contained a power for said Newenham to stop his proceeding in case he don't perform his agreement.

That Robt. Atkins' bill for Beer, £10 8s., be paid.

That Elias Maneduke's bill, £11 13*s.* 11*d.*, for clothes for the Corporation Servants, be paid.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Reiley, Recorder; Alde^{n}. Millerd, Croker,

Jackson, Farren, Newman, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Taylor, Millerd, Jun.; Mr. Dring, and Skye, C. S.

26 *April*, 1749.

Whereas Hugh Millerd, Jun., Esq., late Mayor, having informed the Council that Joseph Hoare, Esq., had applied to the King's Bench on a complaint against him for discharging his duty in relation to a fray between Hulsat Creed and said Hoare, and whereas it appears the said Mayor acted properly, ordered, that the charge said Millerd shall be put to be paid out of the revenues of the Corporation.

That Thos. Crips, Esq., Councillor at Law, be admitted free for executing the rights of the City last assizes without application.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Austin, Croker, Fuller, Farren, Owgan, Taylor, Westhrop; Mr. Travers, and Skye, C. S.

18 *May*, 1749.

That 100 guineas be paid Mr. Fran. Carleton and Mr. Riggs Falkener towards a ring of Bells to be put up in the Steple of Sᵗ. Ann's Church, in the Parish of S. Mary Shandon, in Corke, to be paid in three months from the date hereof.

That William Burnett, having served Mr. Aug. Carré, and since his death Mrs. Carré, his widow; Will. son of Samˡ. Perry, having served his father; George Roch, Clothier, having served his father, Francis Roch; and John, eldest son of Ald. Croker, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Chatterton; Aldᵉⁿ. Austin, Croker, Newman, Farren, Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Westhrop, Winthrop, Lavit, Tayler, Millerd, Jun.; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Skyes, C. S.

27 *July*, 1749.

That £10 be allowed for providing an entertainment at Black Rock Castle on 1 Aug., on which Mr. Mayor intends to hold a Court for the conservation of this Citie's rights to the river and fishery thereof.

That £5 be allowed Mr. Robᵗ. Dring for painting the Corporation Gallery in S. Peter's Church suitable to the painting of the Communion table of said Church.

That £5 15*s*. 8½*d*. be paid Mr. Mayor, several sums paid by him as charges

attending and preventing of several riots last May day, several other days, and also at Cork fair.

On reading a report made by Randal Westrop, Esq., Robt. Atkins, Esq., and Mr. Russell Wood (in relation to an order of Council made 3 July, 1744) relating to the case of Joseph Bennett, Esq., concerning a lease made by his father, Mr. Edward Bennet, to one John Bohilly, of a house and plot of ground in Bandon road, which said Joseph alleged was mortgaged to Miles Martin in trust for the Corporation, the said Inspectors say they find in the Chest a mortgage of said lease mentioned to be made to Miles Martin, in consideration of £28 15*s.* 8*d.*, and that said Martin executed a deed of trust on the back of said Mortgage, declaring same to be in trust for this Corporation, but said Martin made no assignment of said Mortgage by said deed last mentioned, the said affair this day being put to the poll, the majority agreed to have said mortgage made over to a substantial trustee to be appointed by said Joseph Bennet, and also that the sum of £10 be paid said Bennett in consideration of his loosing several years' rent and the buildings fallen to ruin.

That £11 14*s.* 4*d.* be paid Isaac Bussy for candles from 6 March, 1747, to 18 Sep., 1748.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, the Recorder; Ald^en. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Jackson, Fuller, Parker, Winthrop, Taylor; Mr. Travers, Dring, and Ald. Lavit.

We consent to all the acts but one relating to the Recorder.

James Chatterton, Sheriff, Will. Winthrop, Walt. Lavit, Rob. Travers, Rob. Dring.

14 *Sep.*, 1749.

By an order of 26 April, 1749, Ald. Millerd, Jun., was ordered the expenses he was put to as Mayor by Joseph Hoare, Esq., and said Millerd having produced Mr. Bull and Mr. Lane, Attorneys, bill, £25 8*s.*, ordered, it be paid.

That Robt. Hoare's bill of cost, £18 6*s.* 10*d.*, for two years, be paid.

That James Bennett, having served Robt. Long, Victualler; Robt. Lane, having served Will. Lane, Merch^t.; Tho. Barry, having served Christ. Carleton, Merch^t.; Benj. Sullivan, Attorney; Mr. Will. Snow, Attorney, and Mr. Thos. Allyn, Attorney, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Millerd, Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Jackson, Owgan, Westrop, Winthrop, Millerd, Jun., Taylor, and Rob. Travers.

I, Hugh Millerd, Jun., do protest to the makeing of Mr. Benj. Sullivan, Mr. Wᵐ. Snow, and Mr. Tho. Alleyn free as they did not serve seven years' apprentiship, nor a sufficient Council at the time, the questions being put, only the undernamed: Mr. Mayor, two Sheriffs, Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Farren, Huleatt, Owgan, Westrop, Wintrop, Travers.

9 *Nov.*, 1749.

William Holmes, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs were sworn of the Council, and Mr. Joseph Popham as Common Speaker; Mr. Hoare this day delivered the Patent for the Fairs at the Lough, which is lodged in the chest.

Mem. "No business done for want of a sufficient number of Council men.—Rob. Hoare, Clk. of Council."

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Webb and Sweet, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Croker, Farren, Winthrop, Taylor, Crone, and Popham, C. S.

30 *Nov.*, 1749.

That £6 18*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Thos. Daunt for labour and timber in mending North Bridge.

Ordered unanimously, that £300 be paid Mr. Mayor as an augmentation to the Salary of £200 to make £500.

That Thomas Hankerson, Esq., Commander of His Maj. Ship Badger, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That John Vaughan, Esq., Commander of His Maj. Ship Baltimore, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That £12 13*s.* be paid Isaac Bussy for Candles, from 26 Oct., 1748, to 15 Aug., 1749.

That £4 1*s.* 9*d.* be paid George Harrison for printing work done during the Mayoralty of Mr. Crone.

That Councillor Nicholas Weeks be admitted a freeman at large.

That £14 12*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor for cloathing furnished the Blue Coats and Change Porter.

That Mr. William Dobbins be admitted a freeman.

That Jehosaphat Huleatt apply to Ald. Lavit to purchase at the Wood as much oak timber for piles for the support of the North and South Bridges when wanted.

That John Ireland, Ironmonger, paying £5; Attiwell, eldest son of Russell Wood, *dec.;* Thomas Huet, who served Phineas Bagwell; Benjamin Sweet, Esq.; and Hugh Swayne, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Webb and Sweet; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Winthrop, Taylor, Crone; Mr. Travers, Ald. Westrop and Lavit.

21 *Dec.*, 1749.

The proper persons to enable the Mayor, &c., to hold a Council not appearing, there was no business.—Robt. Hoare, Clk. C^{l}.

Do. 25 Jan., 1749.—Robt. Hoare, Clk. of the Co^{l}.

27 *Jan.*, 1749.

Whereas a petition hath been laid before the House of Commons of Ireland by one John Murphy, in order to bring the turnpike of the Kerry road, to the mile house in the North Liberties of this City and Blarney Cross, and whereas we apprehend that if a Turnpike should be erected in pursuance thereof, it would be highly disadvantageous to the City of Corke and the Liberties, also to the County of Corke. Ordered, that the Clerk of the Council lay before the Recorder instructions to draw a memorial to the House of Commons and the Privy Council to oppose said Petition.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Webb; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Millerd, Austin, Huleatt, Croker, Jackson, Westropp, Lavit, Millerd, Jun., Crone; Mr. Travers, Popham, C. S. (*postea*), Mr. Recorder, and Ald. Taylor.

26 *Feb.*, 1749.

That Richard, having served his father, Benj. Lawton, be admitted a freeman at large.

That £11 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid Ald. Farren for attending the Parliament in 1739, on John Forster's petition.

That William, eldest son of John Spread, Esq.; Saml. Beale, having served Tho. Beale; James Francklyn, Cooper, having served Robt. Eason,

the elder; James Diggs Latouch, of Dublin, Merch^{t}.; Tho. Strettell, Merch^{t}., having served Thos. Devonshire, Merch^{t}.; George, son of Christ. Johnson, having served Noblett Johnson; William Cole, having served Noblett Johnson; John Shadwell, paying £10; Danl. Perdrian, Merch^{t}., eldest son of Danl. Perdrian; the Rev^{d}. Arch^{n}. Crofton, V. G. of this Diocese; Peter Cossart, Merch^{t}., having served his father; and William, having served his father, Rich^{d}. Pike, be admitted free at large of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Webb; Ald^{en}. Millerd, Huleatt, Newman, Farren, Fuller, Owgan, Westhrop, Winthrop, Taylor, Crone; Mr. Travers, and Popham, C. S.

Hugh Millerd and Will. Taylor dissent from the makeing Mr. Diggs Latouch free.

26 *Sep.*, 1750.

The Mayor summoned a Council to meet at 6 o'clock, at past 7 there only appeared:

Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Webb and Sweet, Ald. Croker and Crone.

23 *April*, 1750.

Whereas a suit commenced last term by Danl. Callaghane against Peter Tivy, late Master of the Masons, for being wrongfully imprisoned on account of quarterage, ordered, that Mr. Hoare attend the Recorder for advice, and the defence be paid by the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Webb, the Recorder; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Millerd, Farren, Fuller, Owgan, Taylor, Millerd, Jun., and Crone.

19 *July*, 1750.

Whereas Hugh Millerd, Sen., William Taylor, Ald., and Robt. Dring, Esq., were appointed to settle Mr. John Maunsell's accounts relating to Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses; also Ald. Croker's account relating to S. Stephen's Hospital. They report to the Mayor, &c., that on inspecting Mr. Maunsell's acc^{t}. they find he has charged £100 as paid to Mr. Aug. Carré, *dec.*, for feeding the poor in the Mayoralty of Ald. Parker, which sum we think he paid in his own wrong; it also appears that there is a receipt of said Aug. Carré in the hands of said Maunsell, for £48, being due

from the Master and Wardens of the Vintners' Company of London, for the use of Skiddy's Alms-house, for which he promises to be accountable to said Maunsell; it also appears that Ald Wm. Winthrop has a receipt of said Carré for £96, for which he promises to be accountable for the use of said Hospital. Ordered, that the Inspectors get the two receipts of Mr. Aug. Carré, and demand payment from the Executors of said Carré, and report the answer of the Executors.

This day Mr. Stephen Denroche, C. S., took the oath of Comon Council man, as the Common Speaker takes.

That £8 be paid Robt. Atkins, Ald., for Beer supplied for the Army.

That £10 be allowed for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle, on 1 Aug. next, when Mr. Mayor intends to hold a Court for the conservation of the City's rights to the River and Fishery thereof.

That £28 8*s.* 9*d.* be paid Revd. John Baily for twenty-five occasional Sermons, from 18 Dec., 1745 to 5 Nov., 1749.

That £11 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid John Lane, silk dyer, for his trouble in attending the house of Commons upon the Petition of John Forster against the Corporation.

Whereas Ald. Hawkins preferred a Bill against the Mayor, &c., in the Exchequer, ordered, that Mr. Hoare take the proper care thereof.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Webb; Aldcn. Atkins, Millerd, Fuller, Wintrop, Lavit, Taylor, Croker, Crone; Mr. Travers, Ald. Millerd, Jun., and Mr. C. S.

20 *Aug.*, 1750.

Ordered, that the Freedom of this City be presented to the Hon. St. George Caufield, in a Silver box, as he is one of the Judges of Assize and His Maj. Attorney-General.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Webb and Sweet; Aldcn. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Fuller, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor, Crone, and Mr. C. S.

12 *Nov.*, 1750.

Robert Wrixon, Esq., Mayor.

The Mayor and both Sheriffs sworn Council men.—Robt. Hoare, Clke. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sr. Jn. Freake, Bt., and Robt. Newenham, Sheriffs;

Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Taylor, Millerd, Jun., Crone, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

14 *Jan.* 1750.

All orders of Council for payment of money from 28 Feb., 1744 to 19 July, 1750 inclusive, amounts to £1595 7*s.* 1¼*d.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Newenham, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Millerd, Croker, Owgan, Lavit, Crone, and Holmes.

4 *April*, 1751.

Whereas by an order of Council, 26 March, 1741, the sum of £10 per week for ten weeks from 18 of same month, should be paid Mr. Carré, Treas., for feeding the poor of this City. It now appears that Mr. Russell Wood signed an order for same £100, which not being paid by the Chamberlain to Mr. Carré, but Mr. John Maunsell advanced said sum to Mr. Carré on credit of the City out of the funds of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Almshouses. Ordered, that same £100 be paid Mr. Maunsell to pay said sum advanced to Mr. Aug. Carré, and said Maunsell return the order of Council payable to Carré on getting an order for the sum now granted.

That Ald. Millerd, Taylor, and Mr, Robt. Dring allow a receipt of Mr. Aug. Carré to Mr. John Maunsell for £50 17*s.* 7*d.*, which Carré received from the Vintners' Society of London.

That Mr. Mayor draw for £144 English six years' annuity due from the Vintners' Comp. of London, for Skiddy's Almshouse, at £24 a year, and that Mr. Mayor repay it with the current exchange to Ald. H. Millerd, Sen., W. Taylor, and Mr. R. Dring taking account for same, and that said sum with whatever ballance may remain on the settling with Mr. John Maunsell be repaid said Millerd, Taylor, and Dring, to be applied to the discharge of part of the debt this City is engaged for building Skiddy's Almshouse; and it is intended said sum should be applied to paying some of the debts of this City, and that the City pay interest at 5 *per cent.* to the use of the Blue Coat Hospital, said sum being part of the £920 the City is engaged to the Blue Coat Hospital for building the Almshouses aforesaid.

That £16 5s. 3*d.* be paid the Execrs. of John Croker, for law business from Mich., 1748 to Mich., 1750.

That £5 14*s.* be paid Mr. Bickford Heard, law business in the suit of Danl. Callaghane against Peter Tivy.

That £11 9*s.* 7*d.* be paid Ald. W^m. Holmes for Newspapers and Votes during his Mayoralty.

That £15 17*s.* 2*d.* be paid Ald. Holmes for a Velvet Cushion for the Court House clothing the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter.

Present — Mr. Mayor, S^r. John Freake, Sher.; Ald^en. Huleatt, Atkins, Farren, Newman, Owgan, Westhrop, Lavit, Taylor, Crone, Holmes, and Denroch, C. S.

4 *May*, 1751.

Ordered, that the Gateage of this City be set for the term of seven years, from 24 June next, by Public Cant, (the same to be set on the Exchange between the hours of 12 and 2,) to the highest bidder giving good security, and that ten days' notice of the Cant be affixed on the Exchange.

That the office of the Waterbailiffs of this City, with all perquisites, &c., be set for seven years, from 24 June next, by public Cant on the Exchange of this City, the person taking said office to give security for his behaviour and payment of the rent.

That Thomas Newenham, Esq., be presented with his Freedom, by Mr. Hoare, the Town Clerk.

That Mr. Henry Wrixon, brother to Mr. Mayor, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sir John Freake, Sheriff; Ald^en. Atkins, Huleatt, Croker, Newman, Owgan, Lavit, Taylor, Crone, Holmes, Winthrop, Westrop, and Mr. C. S.

11 *May*, 1751.

This day, William Snow, Gent., was admitted Deputy-Clerk of the Council, and sworn.

Whereas Edward Vincent hath commenced a suit in the Exchequer against Peter Waglin, Master of the Company of Masons of this City, Peter Delahoide, Rich^d. Quin and Corns. Murphy, three of his Assistants, for recovering back Quarterage, which said Master levied pursuant to ancient Custom and Bye-laws of said Company. Ordered, that the defence be defrayed at the expense of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Newenham, Mr. Recorder; Alden. Atkins, Huleatt, Croker, Parker, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor, Crone, Holmes, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

18 *May*, 1751.

Whereas we are of opinion that the Revenues of this City can be greatly increased without any prejudice to the Freemen, and that a Committee be appointed out of the Council for considering said Revenues, we order that a Committee of ten gentlemen be appointed, five to be nominated by this Council and five by the C.D.H.; we order that from time to time they report the manner any seven of them may approve, care being taken of the rights of the Freemen: that the gateage be first considered; and that said committee be a standing committee for six months; and we appoint Mr. Mayor, Sir John Freke, Ald. Robt. Atkins, Ald. Tho. Farren, and Ald. Wm. Owgan on behalf of the Council.

That Coll. Richd. Boyle, eldest son of His Excellency Henry Boyle, Esq., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That William Lane, Cooper, having served John Flemming, *dec.;* James Benson, mercht., having served Wm. Lane, mercht.; John Leathum, mercht., having served Messrs. Calwell, Lawton, and Carleton, merchts.; Thomas Vereker, mercht., having served Geo. Fuller; George Bastable, mercht., having served Mr. Mayor and Mr. John Wrixon, mercht.; Peter Tindal, mercht., having served Christ. Carleton; Roger Green, mercht., having served Henry Mannix, mercht.; Francis Grey, mercht., eldest son of John Grey, mercht., *dec.;* William, eldest son of Wm. Rickotts, mercht., *dec.;* James Purcell, mercht., having served Ald. Wm. Holmes; James Ellis, mercht., having served Francis Hodder, mercht.; Bussell Hare, mercht.. having served Wm. Hare, mercht., *dec.;* Richard Bennett, cooper, having served his father, Henry Bennett, cooper; Francis Allin, clothier, having served John Allin, clothier; George Fuller, mercht., having served his father, Tho. Fuller, mercht.; Wm. Uniacke, mercht., having served Wm. Davenport, mercht.; Stephen Mills, mercht., having served Riggs Falkiner, mercht., be admitted Freemen at large.

That an entertainment be provided for His Excellency Henry Boyle, Esq., one of the Lords Justices Gen. and Gen. Governors of this Kingdom, and that the Sheriff do wait on and invite his Excellency.

That Thos. Cochran, Joyner, having served Sampson Price, Joyner, and Joshua Coe, butcher, having served his father, Samuel Coe, be admitted free at large.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Freke and Newenham, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Croker, Farren, Newman, Fuller, Owgan, Westhropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Holmes, and Denroch, C. S.

25 *May*, 1751.

Ordered, that Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, and Rob. Travers, Esq., with those appointed by the C. D. H., audit the accounts of the Chamberlain, Collectors of the Gateage and Customs, Waterbailiff, &c., from 25 Dec., 1747 to 31 Dec., 1748.

That Mr. Mayor, Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp and Winthrop, with those of the C. D. H., audit same officers' accounts from 31 Dec., 1748 to 31 Dec., 1750.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Croker, Newman, Farren, Fuller, Owgan, Winthrop, Westropp, Lavit, Taylor, Millerd, Jun., Crone, Holmes (*postea*), Ald. Parker, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

23 *Nov.*, 1751.

William Busteed, Esq., Mayor.

This day, the Mayor and Sheriffs were sworne Council men during office, also the C. S. to keep the secrets of the Council.

This day Ald. Millerd, Taylor, and Robt. Dring, Esq., gave in their report on the Hospitals of this City; ordered, that it be entered in the Hospital Book. Whereas on 1st Report, £180 14*s.* 7*d.* appears due from Aug. Carré, *dec.*, to the Blue Coat Hospital, ordered, that Mr. Hoare prosecute the Executors of said Carré. This day Ald. Taylor delivered up to Mr. Hoare said Carré's voucher for £96, dated 14 Nov., 1744, and another for £50 17*s.* 7*d.*, dated 7 April, 1741.

Ordered, that Mr. Bull's bill of Costs, £97 18*s.* 4½*d.*, for expenses on the Petitions of George Fuller, Sr. Richard Cox, and to the Lords Justices, &c., against the first Election of the present Mayor, &c., and costs of approbation, &c., be paid.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Carleton and Swayne; Ald^en^. Hawkins, Millerd, Huleatt, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor, Millerd, Jun., Crone, Wrixon, and Mr. Smith, C. S., (*postea*) the Recorder as an adviser of the Council.

"I dissent from paying Mr. Bull's bill of Costs, Because it was an irregular proceeding of the late Mayor and not agreeable to the Charter or Bye Laws, and the more because the Government annulled said election.—H. Millerd."

Whereas Thomas Elmsly, Ebenezar Pike, and others have by W^m^. Fuller, Esq., and Hugh Millerd, Jun., Petitioned this Council for their right of freedom at large, entitled thereto by birth or servitude, many for some years past being refused their rights, whereas the Mayor, &c., have rejected said Petition, now we whose names are subscribed being of opinion that said petitions ought to be enquired into and justice done, do protest against the present Mayor for not examining into the merits of said petitions.

Whereas from time immemorial the Recorder of Corke hath voted in the Common Council, and always deemed a member thereof, and whereas the present Mayor, &c., refuse to admit the Recorder to vote, we, the underwritten, protest against the said Mayor, &c., for refusing the Recorder his right to vote, contrary to the Custom of time immemorial, also against paying Mr. Bull his bill of Costs, and against the Mayor for his arbitrary and illegally taking away the Council Book from Hugh Millerd, Esq., when it was his turn as a member of this Council to protest against any orders of this board, and we protest against the validity of all the acts of said Mayor, &c., made this day, and we protest against the Mayor, &c., refusing the Recorder to sign this protest by seizing of the Council Book.

Joseph Austin, Amb. Jackson, W^m^. Fuller, Harding, Parker, Hugh Millerd, Jun.

Ald. Fuller and Millerd, Jun., produced to the Mayor 103 Petitions of several persons to be admitted free, without producing indentures, which petitions the Mayor locked up in his drawer with several others, and at the same time declared to the Council that the more weighty affairs of the City should be gone on first, said Petitions being given in about two of the clock at noon, and not before, though the Council met at ten, the Mayor also declared that he would appoint a day for reading said Petitions, and

admitting such persons free as by the Charter and Bye laws shall be legally entitled thereto.

Will. Busteed, May^r.; Frans. Carleton and Hw. Swayne, Sheriffs; James Huleatt, Tho. Farren, Will. Owgan, Randall Westropp, Will. Winthrop, Walt. Lavit, Rob. Wrixon, John Smith, C. S.

7 *April*, 1752.

It appears that the Mayor of this City hath been served with an order to show cause why he should not be attached in His Maj. Court of King's Bench at the prosecution of Richard Ell, a soldier, for committing him to Bridewell, and as it appears that the Mayor committed said Ell for exposing his child in one of the streets of this City to become a public charge, and that the Mayor acted for the public good, and if he committed an error it was one of judgment, ordered, that the expenses the Mayor be put to be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Huleatt, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Winthrop, and Smith, C. S.; the Recorder being present as an adviser of the Council.

8 *May*, 1752.

This day the Council met at ten in the forenoon to make several persons free who have a right to their freedom, and Ald. Hugh Millerd, Jun., who gave in a large number of petitions for Freedoms, having come into the Council room, and as we apprehend, on finding that by his staying there would be a full Council to do business, immediately withdrew, and no other member of Council attending, the members were obliged to break up, and could not go on business.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Croker, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Holmes, Wrixon, and Smith, C. S.

13 *May*, 1752.

Ordered, that Benj. Bousfield, Merch^t., having served Thos. Bousfield; Saml. Mitchell, Merch^t., having served said Bousfield; Saml. Maylor, Merch^t., eldest son of Paul Maylor, *dec.*; Paul Maylor, Merch^t., having served Sher. Carleton and Mr. Hugh Lawton; William Lawton, Merch^t., having served said Carleton and Lawton; Hugh Lawton, Jun., Merch^t., having served his

father, Trayer Lawton; Richard, having served his father, Saml. Perry, Mercht.; Saml. Fenton, Mercht., having served Ald. Wm. Winthrop; Danl. Perdrian, Jun., eldest son of Rodolphus Perdrian, Mercht., *dec.;* Wettenhall, eldest son of Wettenhall Hignett, burgess, *dec.;* Francis Morgan, Mercht., having served Jonathan Morgan, Mercht.; Wm. Ryall, Mercht., having served James Calwell, Mercht.; Francis Smith, Chandler, eldest son of William Smith, *dec.;* the Rev. William, eldest son of Wm. Chartres, Esq., *dec.;* Christopher Lovet, having served Ald. Edwd. Hoare, *dec.;* Saml., eldest son of Jasper Morris, *dec.;* Wills, eldest son of George Crofts, Esqr., *dec.;* the Rev. Thomas, eldest son of Barry Frankland, *dec.;* William Moxley, Mercht., having served Joseph Popham, Mercht.; Peter Barber, Cooper, having served Sherly Wills; Paul Baker, Mercht., having served Ald. Richd. Bradshaw; Tho. Cotter, Chandler, having served Isaac Bussy; Spencer Owgan, joiner, having served Sampson Price; Thomas Grady, butcher, eldest son of Philip Grady, gent., *dec.;* John Weston, wigmaker, having served Francis Adams; John Bennett, Marriner, eldest son of Henry Bennett, Cooper, *dec.;* Jonathan, son of John Morgan, having served Elias Lasserre, Mercht.; James Screech, having served Abr. Morris, Mercht.; Richard, having served his father, Richd. Allen, Clothier; John, eldest son of John Terry, *dec.;* Robert, eldest son of Christ. Rogers, Esq., *dec.;* James, eldest son of James Dennis, Mercht., *dec.;* Thos. Elmsly, Chandler, having served Robt. Raymond, *dec.;* Thomas Knox, Silversmith, eldest son of Thomas Knox, Barber, *dec.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldcn. Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Millerd, Jun., Crone, Holmes, Wrixon, and Smith, C. S.

23 *May*, 1752.

That John, son of Joseph Deyos; Joseph, eldest son of John Heard, Skinner, *dec.;* John Kift, Cooper, eldest son of Thos. Kift, *dec.;* Robert Baxter, butcher, having served George Baxter; Henry Purcell, Chandler, having served Isaac Bussy; Giles Upton, having served Silvester Clarke and John Smith, Coopers; Richard Payne, having served Charles Waddington, Apothecary; Gustavus, eldest son of Henry Hamilton, Esq., *dec.;* Gerrard, having served his father, Francis Roche, Clothier; John, having served his father, Daniel Sullivan, Baker; John Hyde, having served Robt.

Eason, Cooper; Thomas, eldest son of John Hardaway, butcher, *dec.*; John Rice, having served Francis Taylor, Clothier; Thomas Haddock, having served Shirly Wills, Cooper, be admitted free at large of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Huleatt, Croker, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Millerd, Jun., Holmes, Crone, Wrixon, and Smith, C. S.

3 *June*, 1752.

Ordered, that Thos. Barnes, Merch^t., having served Thos. Beale, Merch^t.; William Allen, having served Isaac Bussy, Chandler; W^m. Evans, shipwright, eldest son of Robert Evans, *dec.*; John, eldest son of Nicholas Anstace, butcher, *dec.*; Danl. Sullivan, Jun., having served his father, Danl. Sullivan, baker; Ebenezer, having served his father, Richard Pike, Merch^t.

That £25 10*s.* 7*d.*, balance due to Messrs Calwell, Lawton, and Carleton for a parcel of wheat sold by them to Ald. Fuller in his Mayoralty for the use of the Corporation, be paid them.

That £14 8*s.* be paid Robt. Atkins, Esq., for ale supplied the Army from 30 Oct., 1750, to 30 Oct., 1751.

That £30 be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., expenses, &c., attending the Privy Council on the petitions of George Fuller and against the first election of the present Mayor and Sheriffs.

That £11 9*s.* 7*d.* be paid Ald. Robt. Wrixon to discharge Mr. Palliser's draft on him for News Papers, from 7 Sep., 1750, to 7 Sep., 1751.

That £29 0*s.* 5*d.* be paid Isaac Bussy, Chandler, for candles, from 11 Oct., 1749, to 18 Sep., 1751.

That £21 16*s.* 7*d.* be paid Ald. W^m. Holmes, for mourning for the seats in the different churches of this City, on the death of his Royal Highness the late Prince of Wales, also cloathing for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter, from 19 April, 1751, to 27 Sep. following.

That £11 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid John Richardson, Chandler, his expenses attending the House of Commons on the petition of John Forster against the Corporation of this City.

Whereas Ald. Saml. Croker hath petitioned this Council to be paid for his trouble for several years' attendance as an assistant to the Collector of Gateage, ordered, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, Ald. Atkins and Westropp be a Committee to examine Ald. Croker's demand, and report.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Huleatt, Croker, Atkins, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, and Smith, C. S.

14 *July*, 1752.

Ordered, that the Right Hon. James, Earl of Kildare, the Right Hon. Sir Arthur Gore, Robᵗ. Downes, Esq., and Henry Walsingham Boyle, be presented with their freedoms in Silver Boxes by the Town Clerk.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Fuller, Westrop, Winthrop, Lavit, Crone, Holmes, and Isaac Bussy, C. S.

27 *July*, 1752.

This day Mr. Isaac Bussy, C. S., was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

That the Right Hon. Lord George Sackville be presented with his freedom in a Gold box by the Town Clerk.

That the Hon. Sʳ. Peter Warren, K.B., Vice-Admiral of the Red Squadron, be presented with his freedom in a Gold box.

That John Foliott, Esq., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the Right Hon. John Ponsonby, one of His Maj. Commissioners of Excise, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the Hon. Wᵐ. Champneys, one of His Maj. Com. of Excise, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the Hon. Fred. Frankland, one of His Maj. Com. of Excise, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the Hon. John Bourke, Esq., one of His Maj. Com. of Excise, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

That Richard Tonson, Esq.; Wᵐ. Verling, Esq.; Willᵐ. Newcomen, Esq., Coll. of Excise for Corke; John Cavendish, Collʳ. of Kinsale; Mr. Geo. Carleton, Mercʰ.; Ralph Uvedale, Gent.; Revᵈ. Archᵈ. Edwᵈ. Browne, one of His Maj. Justices of the Peace for the County; Revᵈ. Geo. Tisdal, D.D., be admitted freemen at large of this City.

That 10 guineas be paid for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug. next, the annual day for holding the Admiralty Court for the river of Corke.

That £11 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid Revᵈ. Geo. Baily, Clk., for occasional sermons, from 2 July, 1750, to 5 Nov., 1751.

That £84 14*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Mr. Will. Bull, attorney, his costs at the prosecution of Rich^d^. Ell, a soldier, against the present Mayor in the King's Bench.

That £7 7*s.* 1*d.* be paid Mr. Anthony Lane, Attorney, and £5 18*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. W^m^. Snowe, Attorney, bills of costs in aforesaid prosecution.

That Saml., having served his father, Rich^d^. Pike, Merch^t^., be admitted free.

That 15 guineas be paid Ald. Robt. Wrixon, his expenses at Dublin on the petition of Geo. Fuller and others against the first Election of the present Mayor and Sheriffs; also same to Sir J. Freke, Bart., for same purpose.

That £19 be paid Francis Carleton, Esq., one of the Sheriffs, so much advanced by him to Robt. Fulton, gent., summoned to attend the Privy Council, a witness in the Pet^n^. of George Fuller against the first Election of the present Mayor.

That Mr. Mayor, Ald. Farren, Ald. Winthrop, and Ald. Lavit be a committee to repair the Exchange building inside and outside.

That 10 guineas be paid Mr. Willm. Snowe, his expenses to Dublin on the Pet. of Fuller against the Mayor, besides the money advanced him in Dublin, having carried up the Charters of this City at a great expense.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Croker, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Crone, Holmes, Wrixon; Mr. Travers, Bussy, C. S., and the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

29 *Aug.*, 1752.

This day Mathias Smith, Esq., Mayor Elect, was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

That Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp and Wrixon, three of the Committee appointed to audit the Public accounts, delivered in said accounts from 29 Sep., 1744, to 1 Jan., 1750, except the credit side of the Chamberlain's accounts, no vouchers in discharge of the debit of his account being produced by him to said Committee.

That these accounts be referred to the C. D. H., and entered in the Ledger if approved of.

That the Chamberlain, in a fortnight from this day, make up his accounts from 29 Sep., 1744, to 1 Jan., 1750.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Croker, Farren, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Holmes, Wrixon, also the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

14 *Oct.*, 1752.

Mathias Smith, Esq., Mayor.

That £200 be paid Messrs. Francis Carleton, Riggs Falkiner, and Luke Grant to defray the remainder of the Expenses necessary to putting up the Bells in Shandon Steeple.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Ald^en^. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Farren, Westropp, Lavit, Taylor, Crone, Holmes, Wrixon, Busteed, also the Recorder as an adviser of the Council.

4 *Nov.*, 1752.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., have been served with a subpœna from the Court of Chancery, at the suit of Rich^d^. Davis and Rebecca, his wife, and we apprehend said suit is brought for some rights of the Corporation of this City, ordered, that Robt. Hoare, Esq., take proper defence in said Court.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Wrixon and Denroch; Ald^en^. Atkins, Croker, Farren, Westropp, Lavit, Taylor, Millerd, Crone, Holmes, and Wrixon.

16 *Dec.*, 1752.

This day Mr. Sher. Denroch was sworne to keep the secrets of the Council and a Council man during office.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Atkins, Croker, Farren, Fuller, Westropp, Owgan, Taylor, Crone, Holmes, Wrixon, Busteed, also the Recorder as adviser.

28 *March*, 1753.

The Chamberlain having applied for further time to make up his accounts, ordered, that he peremptorily make them up from 29 Sep., 1744, to 1 Jan., 1750, or before 7 May next.

That Mr. Mayor, Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, and Robt. Travers, Esq., be a committee to audite the accounts of the Chamberlain, Collectors

of Gateage and Customs, Waterbailiff's, &c., from 1 Jan., 1750, to 1 Jan., 1753.

Ald. Millerd, one of the executors of Ald. Hugh Millerd, this day delivered to the Council the account of the receipts, &c., of the funds of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms houses, made by said Millerd, *dec.*, who was Manager of said funds, being examined and approved, there was a ballance of £369 10*s.* 11½*d.* in the hands of the executors of said Millerd, *dec.* They are directed to pay same to the Mayor.

That a lot of ground belonging to the Corporation in Fair Lane, containing about 90 feet in length and 10 in breadth, be set for 999 years by public cant, to the highest bidder.

That Mr. Hoare apply to Mr. Noblet Johnson to deliver up the immediate possession of the Island in the South Channel belonging to the Corporation, and also pay the rent for the time he held said Island, and in case he refuses, that a suit be commenced against him for the recovery of the Island and rent.

That Mr. Hoare take advice about the legacy left by Mr. Dickson to the Corporation for S. Stephen's hospital.

That Mr. John Shadwell be appointed agent for Skiddys and Bretridge's Alms houses, giving £1,000 security.

That Ald. Robt. Atkins be paid £4 16*s.* for ale given the soldiers 11 June last, by order of the Mayor.

That Ald. Lavit be paid £9 11*s.* 8½*d.* for timber from 7 Oct., 1745, to 13 Nov., 1746.

That Mr. Tho. Price be paid £26 15*s.* 5¼*d.* for tar barrels, &c., from 1 July, 1743, to 11 June, 1752.

That Robt. Hoare, Esq., be paid £3 14*s.* 10½*d.*, bill of costs in several causes for three years.

That the Chamberlain pay Mr. Will. Austen's bill in favour of Mr. Francis Carleton for £17 0*s.* 2*d.*, being the expense of a velvet coat given Lord Chief Baron Bowes as his fee for allowing the City Charter.

That Ald. Wm. Busteed be paid £4 10*s.* 1*d.*, so much expended by him on 1 Aug. last, above the 10 guineas ordered by the Council for the entertainment on that day.

That the Administrators of Ald. Holmes be paid £11 15*s.* 8*d.* for clothes for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter.

Ordered, that the Chamberlain pay Mr. George Hodder £36 17*s.* 1*d.* for cleaning and mending the maces, and for nine silver boxes and one gold box for the Corporation, to 14 Aug. last.

That Mr. John Ireland be paid £14 8*s.* 1*d.*, for iron work for the use of the Corporation to 20 Jan., 1752.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Millerd, Wrixon, Taylor; Mr. Travers, also the Recorder as adviser of the Council, afterwards Ald. Crone.

6 *April,* 1753.

That Mr. Mayor issue a Proclamation promising a reward of £5 to any person who shall convict any one who molests or disturbs the country people in bringing in their corn, potatoes, or other provisions to this City.

Whereas a riotous mob assembled in this City on Thursday, 5 April, to the great terror of the country people who supply the markets of this City with provisions, and as we apprehend the country people will refrain sending their potatoes, &c., to the Market of this City, but will carry them to other places, ordered, that the Mayor issue a proclamation promising a reward of £10 to such person as shall convict the promoter of said riotous mob.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Croker, Farren, Fuller, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor, Wrixon, Busteed, also the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

18 *April,* 1753.

Whereas a most riotous and wicked mob assembled in this City on 17 April and cruelly seized one John Sullivan of said City, porter, whom they carried through the streets of this City and unmercifully beat, wounded, bruised, and cut off one of his ears, which they affixed to the gate of Shandon Church, and left said Sullivan in the street as dead, Now we, the Mayor, &c., in just abhorrence of so cruel and barbarous a fact, and for curbing the insolence of such unruly mobs, do promise a reward of £50 for the conviction of the person who cut off said Sullivan's ear, we also promise £10 for the conviction of every other person concerned in said mob, and that any person who shall convict the person who cut off Sullivan's ear (except the

person who cut it off) shall have the above reward and also his pardon, provided the discovery be made within twelve months from the day of the date hereof.

That the sum of £10 be paid the Mayor for the support and cure of said John Sullivan.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Atkins, Croker, Farren, Bradshaw, Westhropp, Taylor, Lavit, Wrixon, Busteed; Mr. Travers, Dring, Bussy, C. S. (*postea*), Ald. Fuller and Newman.

16 *May*, 1753.

That Mr. Isaac Bussy be paid £9 19*s.* 6*d.* for candles from 4 Dec., 1751, to 11 June, 1752.

That John Rogers, painter, be paid £40 in full for painting and guilding the Exchange inside and outside, in the year 1752.

That George Harrison, printer, be paid £26 2*s.* 11*d.* for printing-work done in the Mayoralties of Ald. Holmes, Wrixon, Busteed, and the present Mayor, from 4 Oct., 1749, to 18 April, 1753.

That £6 19*s.* 10*d.* be paid John Ireland, blacksmith, for iron work done from 6 Oct., 1752, to 15 Dec., 1752.

That £10 be paid Mr. Henry Browne for his extraordinary trouble in executing his office for some time past in this City. This to be no precedent for the future.

That His Grace George, Lo. Abp. of Armagh, one of the Lords Justices, be presented with his freedom in a Gold box.

That his Grace the Abp. of Cashel and the Right Hon. Lord Middleton be presented with their freedoms in Silver boxes.

That £9 4*s.* 9*d.* be paid Thos. Dyer, glazier, for work done in the year 1752.

That the Island in the South Channel, and a lot of ground on the Sand Quay, be let for 999 years to the highest bidder.

That Mr. Hoare, Corporation Agent, apply to the person in possession of the estate of James Browne, *dec.*, for payment of the debt and interest due on the foot of the mortgage made by said Browne to the Corporation, and report.

That the sum of £550, in the hands of the Governors of the Workhouse belonging to the Workhouse, be borrowed by the Corporation, at 5 *per cent.*, to pay debts due to private persons.

That £350, part of £369 10*s.* 11½*d.*, belonging to Bretridge's Hospital, lately paid by the executors of Hugh Millerd, *dec.*, into the hands of the Mayor, be applied towards payment of debts due to private persons.

That Mr. Hoare prepare a Memorial to the Government, setting forth that a patent hath been lately granted to James Hartnett, gent., for holding two or more fairs in the liberties of the City of Corke, to the prejudice of the fairs and Markets of the Corporation, granted by Charter and Patents; that the Corporation had no notice of the holding of the writ "*ad quod damnum*," and praying they will redress the grievance.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Croker, Farren, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Winthrop, Wrixon, Busteed; Mr. Dring, Bussy, C. S. (*postea*), Ald. Taylor, and the Recorder, as an adviser of the Council.

10 *July*, 1753.

This day Mr. James Huleatt Creed was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council as Common Speaker.

Whereas, 29 Aug. last, Ald. Owgan, Westropp, and Wrixon were appointed by the Council and C. D. H. to audit the public accounts from 29 Sep., 1744, to 1 Jan., 1750, reported they could not make up Mr. Stephen Hopkins', the Chamberlain's accounts, he not having produced his vouchers, and as repeated applications have been made to same Hopkins to make up his accounts, which he neglected to do, and the Council prayed the former Committee to make up said Hopkins' accounts, and as an account of debtor and creditor for said Hopkins hath this day been produced to the Council in the best manner they were able, from 29 Sep., 1744, to 1 Jan., 1750, whereby a large ballance appears against said Hopkins, exclusive of what ballance may remain in his hands from said 1 Jan., 1750, to this day. Now we, the Mayor, &c., in consideration of such a sum, think it our duty to suspend said Hopkins until he shall settle such ballance, and we direct that all Corporation money from this day be paid into the hands of Mr. Francis Carleton, mercht., who also proposes Robt. Travers, Esq., and Mr. Thos. Bousfield, mercht., as securities for said trust, and that said Hopkins pay to said Carleton all money now in his hands.

That Mr. John Crockford be appointed Constable of the Castle of Blackrock.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Croker, Farren, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed; Mr. Dring, Creed, C. S. (*postea*), Ald. Taylor.

17 *Sep.*, 1753.

Resolved, that the sum of £300 be added to the Mayor's Sallery for ensueing year, over and above the sum of £200 already granted.

Ordered, that Mr. Horatio Townsend and Mr. John Hughes have liberty, at their own expense, to add to the Coal quay near their houses, from the dock, for the benefit of carriages, to wit, any number of feet not exceeding ten at the North West end of said Townsend's holdings, and to end in a point at the front of the slip at the South West side of said Hughes' house.

A petition preferred by the Inhabitants living between Tuckey's Bridge and the Post Office, setting forth that the quay opposite their houses is too narrow for Carriages and dangerous for his Maj. Subjects passing the same in the night-time, and setting forth that 20 feet in breadth can be added to said quay from the channel without prejudice thereto, resolved that the inhabitants shall have such liberty as the Corporation can grant for enlarging said quay.

That £5 12*s.* 10*d.* be paid Thos. Dyer, glazier, for work done from 20 July last to 4 Aug. last.

That £28 1*s.* 8*d.* be paid Matthias Smith, Esq., late Mayor, for Beer and Ale supplied the Army on rejoicing days, in 1742 and 1743, and Nov., 1752, and April and June, 1753, and for other expenses of the soldiers and city officers at the last Cork fair on their attendance to suppress an intended riot.

That 50 barrels of Coal be bought for the use of the Council Chamber and Guard-house.

That Mr. Frans. Carleton be impowered to distress for the rent and arrears due to the Corporation during his acting for them.

It is resolved to be the opinion of the Council that the accounts of Mr. Stephen Hopkins and other public accounts be settled to the day said Hopkins was superseded in his office by Mr. Francis Carleton.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Austin, Croker, Farren, Fuller,

Owgan, Westropp, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed; Mr. Creed, C. S., Ald. Lavit and Winthrop.

24 *Sep.*, 1753.

Mr. Mayor summoned a Council to meet this evening at 5, and having waited a considerable time and a sufficient number not appearing, Mr. Mayor could not proceed to business.—Wm. Snow, Clk. of Council.

28 *Sep.*, 1753.

Another meeting summoned by the Mayor, but broke up for want of attendance.—Wm. Snow, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Croker, Westropp, Taylor, Lavit, Winthrop, Wrixon, Busteed and Mr. Dring.

1 *Oct.*, 1753.

Ordered, that Mr. Nathaniel Lavit shall have such liberty as the Corporation can grant, for building at his own expense a drawbridge from his own ground on Dunscombe's Marsh, across the channel to the Island in the South Channel of this City, lately demised by the Corporation to said Lavit, leaving a passage for shipping of 22 feet in the clear, said drawbridge to be always kept in repair by said Lavit.

That £12 19*s.* 8*d.* be paid Mr. Isaac Bussy, for candles from 11 Nov. 1752, to 24 Sep., 1753.

That £21 6*s.* 4½*d.* be paid Ald. Lavit for timber, &c., from 2 Sep., 1752, to 28 Sep., 1753.

That £24 3*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Mr. George Hodder, Silversmith, for repairing and cleaning the Maces and Sword, and for a gold box and two silver boxes supplied 29 May last.

That £4 8*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Thos. Holland, tyler, for tyler's work done from 28 April, 1753, to 25 Sep. following; 8*s.* 4*d.* to Joseph Craddock, 'Change Porter, for sand and brooms; £2 9*s.* 10*d.* to Tho. Clements, mason, for mason's work; £12 1*s.* 7*d.* to Tho. Daunt, joyner, for joyner's work; £18 10*s.* to Matthias Smith, Esq., Mayor, expenses of the entertainment last Aug. at Blackrock Castle; £2 11*s.* 2*d.* to Matthias Smith, Esq., expenses of levying and making maps of the Corporation ground in Fair Lane, the Sand Quay, the Island in the South Channel, and for Lanthorns for the watch.

An account this day furnished by Ald. Croker, Master of S. Stephen's Hospital, it appears that said Croker is in advance the sum of £167 10*s.* 7*d.* for said Hospital, to 29 Sep. last; and it appears that considerable sums of money belonging to said Hospital are in the hands of Ald^en^. Austin, Millerd, and others; ordered, that said Ald. Croker receive from said persons the sum of £167 10*s.* 7*d.*, and said Croker's receipt shall be a discharge.

Whereas the peace and tranquility of this City cannot be kept by the Mayor, &c., without their being empowered to call on His Maj. forces garrisoned in said City to aid the civil power, on account of the numbers of rioters and other disturbers of the peace who live in this City; and as on a late application to the Commanding Officer of this Garrison, by message from Mr. Mayor, he was of opinion he could not supply the Magistrates of this City with any of the Army to aid them, not having any order, and as we are of opinion that a Captain's guard to be daily mounted at the Main Guard of this City would tend greatly to the preservation of his Maj. peace, as the magistrates could be speedily supplied with a party of soldiers to quell sudden riots, as otherwise a good deal of time may be lost by the distance of the barracks from the body of the City, we order Mr. Hoare to prepare a Memorial to the Lord Lieutenant, praying a standing order for the Mayor, Sheriffs, and to call the army to aid them from time to time, and for the mounting of a Captain's guard at the Mainguard, and that said orders be handed from Commanding officer to Commanding officer of this Garrison.

That Mr. W^m^. Parks, Clothier, at the request of Mr. Mayor, be admitted a freeman.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Croker, Farren, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Creed, C. S. (*postea*), Ald. Jackson.

9 *Jan.*, 1754.

Sir John Freke, Bart., Mayor.

This day, Mr. Mayor took the oath of a Common Council man, also the Sheriffs.

That Mrs. Esther Holmes be paid £15 9*s.* for cloathing for the Blue Boys and 'Change Porter.

That £9 1*s.* 8*d.* be paid Jehosaphat Huleatt for coal, &c., from Oct., 1753, to 2 Jan. inst.

That £38 10*s.* 10*d.* be paid Mr. W^m^. Bull, Ald., for law business, from Hil. term, 1750, to 6 July, 1753.

That Mr. Mayor do sign a receipt in favour of Ald. Wrixon, and Mr. John Wrixon, for £72 annuity due from the Vintners' Comp., London, 29 Sep. last, for the use of Skiddy's Hospital.

That £4 2*s.* be paid Mr. Bussy for candles, from 24 Oct. to 15 Nov. last.

That the Widow Cossart and Sons, and Mrs. Francis Carleton have liberty to enlarge the quay near their houses, by taking in some ground from the channel leading to Daunt's Bridge; to be done at their own expense, and according to the plan laid before the Council.

That £13 19*s.* 8*d.* be paid Ald^en^. Croker, Busteed and Smith, for making a machine for raising corn to the upper lofts of the Corn Market-house, pursuant to a plan before the Council.

That Henry, eldest son of Mr. Rich^d^. Moore, be admitted free.

Whereas Mr. Rich^d^. Marrett, mercht., did in the Mayoralty of Ald. Smith send to England for five ship loads of Corn, and sold same under the current price for the public good, ordered, that said Marrett, for his good services, be admitted a freeman at large of this City.

That Benj. Swete, Esq.; Danl. Connor, merch^t^., having served Henry Mannix; Thos. Robinson, having served Charles Waddington, apothecary; John Rogers, merch^t^., having served Riggs Falkiner, merch^t^.; Joseph Elliot, clothier, eldest son of Joseph Elliot, butcher, *dec.*; Joseph, having served his father, Benj. Wetherall, clothier, *dec.*; Francis Shuler, gent., eldest son of Mich^l^. Shuler, *dec.*; Thomas, eldest son of John Boles, gent., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

That John Crockford, constable of Blackrock Castle, have liberty to build a stable on the Corporation ground near said Castle.

Present—Mr. Mayor, John Cossart and Kevan Izod, Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Croker, Austin, Jackson, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers and Creed, C. S.

25 *March*, 1754.

Ordered, that Ald. Smith pay Mr. Francis Carleton £350, part of the money of Bretridge's and Skiddy's Alms-houses, paid him by the executors

of Ald. Millerd, and that said Carleton do apply said money to the discharge of the principal debt of £150 due by bond to the Rev^d. Mr. Cox from the Corporation, and that Ald. Smith pay Mr. John Shadwell, agent for said Alms-houses, £19 10*s.* 11½*d.*, ballance of the money paid said Ald. Smith by the executors of Ald. Millerd, *dec.*

That £55 be paid Mr. James Harnett, expenses he was at in obtaining a patent for holding fairs at Currymorrohoo in the North Liberties, said Hartnett having agreed to surrender said patent, &c., as Council shall advise, it being the opinion of this board that the expenses of prosecuting a law-suit to lay aside said patent would amount to more than £55.

This day Nicholas Bernard was chosen one of the persons to erect and maintain lights in this City, in room of Henry Whetcroft, *dec.*, giving security within 21 days.

That £6 14*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Ald. Crone, expenses he was put to as Mayor, on a complaint by the bail of one Harman Raynes in the Court of King's Bench.

That £5 2*s.* 9½*d.* be paid Ald. Croker, so much expended by him in taking the Recorder's opinion about the Bread and Butter Acts, and money paid soldiers for aiding to suppress riots, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Austin, Croker, Atkins, Owgan, Taylor, Millerd, Westropp, Wrixon, Crone, Busteed and Mr. Travers.

28 *March*, 1754.

Ordered, that Henry Crabb Bolton, Esq., one of the Directors of the Hon. E. India Company, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Whereas the debt due to Mr. John Dennis, by bond, exceeds £200, ordered, that it be paid out of the money of the Alms-houses.

That in future no orders belonging to the Alms-houses of this City be entered in the Common Council Book, but in particular Council Books to be kept for each Alms House, and all orders heretofore entered be transcribed into such particular books.

Present — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Croker, Atkins, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, and Mr. Travers.

10 *May*, 1754.

That 15*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Francis Adams, 'Change Porter, for sand, brooms, &c., from 29 Sep., 1753, to 25 March, 1754; £7 13*s.* 5¼*d.* to John Ireland for Smith's work done from 28 Oct., 1752, to 3 Jan., 1754; 18*s.* to the ringers of the Bells of S. Mary, Shandon, on each of the following State and Holy days: the King's birth-day, S. Patrick's day, 16 April, the Duke of Cumberland's birth-day, the Prince of Wales's birth-day, 1 Aug., 23 Oct., 4 and 5 Nov., First Monday in July, the Swearing-day; 29 Sep., the day of the surrender of Cork to the English; the ringers to consist of nine persons under the direction of the Mayor. £11 7*s.* 6*d.* to Rev. John Baily, for occasional Sermons.

That Mr. Godfrey Baker, mercht., be admitted a freeman at large.

This day Ald. Smith paid Mr. Francis Carleton, in open Council, £350, also a balance of £19 10*s.* 11½*d.*, which he was to pay Mr. John Shadwell, said £19 10*s.* 11½*d.* to be paid for the use of Bretridge's and Skiddy's Alms-houses.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart; Ald^en^. Croker, Atkins, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Lavit, Taylor, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers and Creed, C. S., (Afterwards) Ald. Crone and Millerd.

4 *July*, 1754.

This day, Ald. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Mr. W^m^. Harding, Ralph Uvedale, Francis Carleton, Robt. Travers, a committee for settling the public accounts, report that they had stated the accounts of Mr. Stephen Hopkins, late Chamberlain, to 10 July, 1753, and that he owes the Corporation £1867 4*s.* 7*d.* The same Committee (except Uvedale) report that they had stated the accounts of George Baxter, late receiver of the penny dues and Meat Shamble rents to 25 Nov., 1752, and that said Baxter owes the Corporation £80 5*s.* 4¼*d.*, besides a promissory note passed by him and Robt. Baxter, for £20 10*s.* 1*d.* to S. Hopkins, as cash, and as such passed by Hopkins to F. Carleton, for the use of the Corporation. The above Committee (with Uvedale) examined the accounts of Mr. John Wright, water-bailiff, to 9 July, 1753, and find he owes £34 18*s.* 10*d.* Also, they examined the accounts of Mr. Thos. Wood, receiver of the Milk Market dues at Blackpool, to 25 March, 1753, and find he owes 6¾*d.*

That £11 9*s.* 7*d.* be paid Mr. Walter Palliser for News Papers and Votes, from 7 Sep., 1752, to 7 Sep., 1753.

That the Right Rev. the Bishop of Cloyne and Hon. James O'Brien, Esq., Coll. of this City, be presented with their freedom in silver boxes.

That £19 4*s.* be paid Ald. Smith, for beer supplied the army on State days, from 22 Oct., 1753, to 22 June, 1754.

That £2 10*s.* be paid Mr. Maurce Horne, City Collector's Clerk, for lists of imports supplied. That £14 16*s.* 4½*d.* be paid Mr. Wm. Snowe, Atty., for law business. That 5*s.* 5*d.* be paid Sher. Cossart, paid by him to a party of soldiers that attended him last Assize to apprehend a prisoner.

The above Committee report that they stated the accounts of Ald. Dan. Crone, receiver of the gateage to 30 July, 1753, and that he owes a balance of £46 8*s.* 7*d.*

Ordered, that they view the ground on the N. of Tuckey's quay, and treat with Dr. Tuckey about the sale thereof, and report.

Present — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Croker, Lavit, Winthrop, Westropp, Wrixon, Crone, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers and Parks, C. S., first sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

13 *July*, 1754.

That Mr. Mayor, Aldeu. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, and Rob. Travers, Esq., be a committee to audit the public accounts to 30 June last.

Agreed that it will be of advantage to the Corporation that the Gateage be set by public cant.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldeu. Croker, Owgan, Westrop, Lavit, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers, Parks, C. S., and Ald. Crone.

31 *July*, 1754.

That the Gateage be set for one year by public cant to the highest bidder; that he have a lease executed to him in open Court for that time, before executing which he pay a quarter-part of said rent, and shall give as security for the remainder two solvent inhabitants carrying on business, that they perfect three joint bonds each of double the sum, first payable 29 Dec. next, each other quarterly afterwards in succession. That all persons free shall be exempt from gateage. 2. That no freeman freeing the goods of one not free be any infringement of the lease, but the lessee to

be contented by his legal remedy. 3. That all persons free may free their corn, hides, tallow, and carcasses of beef. 4. That if the rent be behind three days said lease shall be void, and that a docket of the Tolls shall be publickly posted with this order, and also annexed to the lease.

That £18 16s. 6*d.* be paid Mr. Wm. Snowe, Atty., lawyer's fees, &c., on a meeting of the freemen, lawyers and some merchants of this City, to draw up a proper scheme for setting the gateage.

Whereas Mr. Richd. Brocklesby and Richard Brocklesby, Esq., Doctor of Physic, his eldest son and heir, propose to grant to the Corporation a piece of ground lately enclosed and walled in by them in Blackpool for 900 years at a pepper corn a year, for a Market-place paying £30, the expense of enclosing said ground; and also proposed to grant the Corporation another piece of ground in Blackpool at the North Side of Waters-Mills-Bridge, also two other lots, covered with water, for 900 years, at a pepper corn, the first whereof for a guard-house, a map of which was this day produced. Ordered, said proposal be accepted, and the sum of £30 be paid said Richard and Doctor Brocklesby.

That Alden. Atkins, Farren, Wrixon, Westropp, and Busteed be a committee to view the ground near South Bridge for a passage to Tuckey's quay, and to enquire of the proprietors of Mr. Bagwell's Sugar houses about setting a long lease or selling same to the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Winthrop, Taylor, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers, and Parks, C. S.; also the Recorder as adviser, and Ald. Millerd.

16 *Aug.*, 1754.

That 5 Sep. next the Waterbailiff's Employment, with the dues, &c., be sold by public cant on the Exchange of this City for one year, the highest bidder to have a lease, that he execute bonds, payable quarterly, with two solvent persons residing in the City, carrying on business therein, saving all rights of the freemen, that he shall collect the Chief Magistrate's dues, that he or his deputy shall attend the Corporation with his Silver Oar, and that a docket of the fees be posted with this order.

That the tolls of the Corn Market be set by public cant 6 Sep. next (on same conditions as above).

That the tolls from the Fishmarket be set, &c., on 7 Sep. next (on same conditions), also N. and S. Milk Markets in like manner.

That Sir John James, eldest son of James Jefferies; William Freeman, Esq.; Henry Cavendish, Jun., Esq.; Simeon Marshall, Esq., Surveyor Genl.; Henry Wrixon, Esq.; Rich^{d}. Broclesby, Esq.; Samuel, son of Ald. Hoare; and Thos. Beamish, gent., be admitted freemen at large of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor elect, both Sheriffs; Ald^{en}. Croker, Farren, Winthrop, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Taylor, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers, and Parks, C. S.

19 *Sep.*, 1754.

That £20 9*s.* 6*d.* be paid Ald. Smith, the contents of a cash note of Joseph Popham, late of this City, Merch^{t}., passed to him as cash part of his salary by Mr. Stephen Hopkins, Popham having failed soon after the passing of said note to Smith; £27 17*s.* to Robt. Hoare, law business for the Corporation; £8 5*s.* 4*d.* to Thos. Dyer, for plumbers' work done; £6 17*s.* to said Dyer, for *do.*; £15 8*s.* 2*d.* to Mr. Mayor, expenses of an entertainment at Blackrock Castle; £4 12*s.* 6*d.* to Tho. Daunt, for Carpenter's work done; £1 10*s.* 1*d.* to the widow of Tho. Daunt for *do.*; £10 15*s.* 8½*d.* to Tho. Holland, for tylers' work done; that the Chamberlain pay the sum due on the Corporation bond to Rev. Mr. Cox, besides £150, part of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Hospital money, in discharge of said debt, being £240; £300 to Geo. Hodder, Mayor elect, in addition to £200 Mayor's Sallary; £11 7*s.* 6*d.* to James Looby, entering the Public accounts in the Ledger; £1 9*s.* 3*d.* to W^{m}. Stockdale, for his trouble in examining some Gateage accounts; that a separate account be kept of insolvent debts; £3 18*s.* 7*d.* to Timothy Cronin, bookseller, for Law books supplied.

That John, eldest son of W^{m}. Spread, Esq., *dec.;* Michæl Harris, Cooper, having served John Coughlan; Thos. Going, Merch^{t}., having served Noblet Johnson, Merch^{t}., be admitted freemen at large.

That the Chamberlain immediately apply to Mr. Stephen Hopkins for £1867 4*s.* 7*d.* due by him, and in case he shall not pay, that Mr. Hoare shall commence such suits as Council shall advise for recovery thereof.

That he in like manner apply to George Baxter, late receiver of the

penny dues and Meat Shambles, for money due by him, and in case of refusal, to proceed against him.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Croker, Jackson, Farran, Owgan, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers, and Parkes, C. S.

26 *Sep.*, 1754.

That 13*s*. be paid Timothy Keefe, for cleaning the Exchange slip for one year.

Whereas two different plans for opening a passage from the South Bridge to Tuckey's Quay have been this day laid before the Council, ordered, that Mr. Recorder, Ald^en^. Atkins, Busteed, Farren, Owgan, Westrop, Wrixon, and Mr. Fran. Carleton be appointed a Committee to examine said plans, and report which is the best and can be done at least expense.

Whereas Ald. Saml. Croker was (8 May, 1738) appointed for one year assistant to Ald. Crone, in the management of the gateage, and said Croker, at the desire of the Council, afterwards for several years assisted said Crone, and said Crone stands indebted to the Corporation for £83 0*s*. 3*d*., ordered, that he be paid £50 for his attendance, for first year, and for his attendance since he be released from the said debt of £83 0*s*. 3*d*., and also he be paid the further sum of 150 guineas, in manner following, *viz*., £50 in six months, 50 guineas in twelve months, 50 guineas in a year and a half, and 50 guineas in two years from the date hereof.

That Allan Jefferies be admitted free at the request of Sir John Freke, Bart., our present Mayor.

That Mountiford Browne, Merch^t^., having served Ald. Lavit; Michæl, eldest son of Ald. Parker; Noblet, eldest son of Bartholomew Breton; Thos. Walter, Merch^t^., having served W^m^. Harding; Warren, eldest son of Thos. Crooke, be admitted free at large of this City.

That John and Solomon Newsome have liberty to turn half an arch to join the North Arch of the North Bridge, in aid of a presentment granted at the assizes for repairing and widening the passage to the North Abbey, and that said persons have liberty to widen the quay before the houses of Anthony Deeves, the late James Uppington, James Morrough, and Moses Newsome, leaving a slip ten feet wide for the watering of cattle at the west end, said

widening to be ten feet at the west end and to end in a point with the new work facing Moses Newsome's new house.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Millerd, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers, Parks, C. S., also the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

7 *Oct.*, 1754.

George Hodder, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Mayor, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Wetherall, Sheriffs, were sworn Council men.

That Ald^en^. Croker, Owgan, Wrixon, and the two Sheriffs be a Committee to view the ground near the Court house belonging to Mr. Roche, and to have a plan drawn, and report, to meet Coun. Smith and know on what terms he would set the old Assembly house and part of the Bowling Green, and report.

That £11 9*s.* 7*d.* be paid Walter Palliser for English Newspapers supplied, from Mich., 1753, to Mich., 1754.

Present—Mr. Mayor; both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Taylor, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, S^r^. John Freke, and Mr. Parks, C. S.

14 *May*, 1755.

Whereas the Popish quarterers of the several trades of this City have of late refused to pay quarterage, ordered, that Mr. Hoare prepare a case and attend the Recorder with same, to have his opinion in what manner said quarterage for the future can be legally recovered.

That £41 15*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Thos. Clements for Mason's work done from 22 June, 1754, to 1 Feb., 1755; also £24 15*s.* to Andrew Dalton, for Carpenters' work done from 27 July, 1754, to 5 April last; also £34 2*s.* 8*d.* to John Fish, for iron work supplied from 27 Oct., 1753, to 29 Oct., 1754; also £38 0*s.* 10½*d.* to Walter Lavit, Esq., for timber from 4 Oct., 1753, to 4 April, 1755; also £19 12*s.* 6*d.* to Jehosaphat Huleat, for sundries from 28 Mar., 1754, to 6 Nov. last; also £11 18*s.* 6*d.* to Mrs. Esther Holmes, for cloathing for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter, 6 Sep. last; also £2 10*s.* 8*d.* to Mrs. Martha Pilkington, for printing work done during the

Mayoralty of Sr. John Freke; also 5*s.* 5*d.* to Eugene Sweeny, for printing Proclamation during Freke's Mayoralty; also 15*s.* 8½*d.* to Timothy Hughes, for gunsmith's work done during the Mayoralty of Ald. Lavit; also £1 13*s.* 10*d.* to Francis Adams, Exchange Porter, for sand, brooms, &c.

Whereas it is reported that his Excellency Wm., Marquis of Hartington, Lord Lieut., &c., intends honouring this City with his presence, ordered, that Mr. Mayor present him with his freedom in a Gold box engraved with the City Arms, that lodgings be taken for him, and an entertainment provided for him, and that Mr. Mayor, Aldeu. Lavit, Wrixon, Millerd, and Busteed be a Committee with power to call on the Chamberlain for what money they may require.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldeu. Atkins, Croker, Owgan, Lavit, Tayler, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, and Parks, C. S.

26 *May*, 1755.

Whereas the Spy Sloop of War is lately come into this harbour of Cork, ordered, that a Proclamation be issued offering a reward of 30*s.* to every able seaman within the Co. of this City who shall volunteer on board any of his Majy's. ships or sloops of war in this harbour, in three months from the date of this Proclamation, over and besides his Maj. bounty, said reward to be paid to such seaman or his order who will engage with the Mayor of this City to serve, and who shall produce a certificate signed by the Commander of such ship or sloop of war.

That Sheriff Smith, Aldeu. Croker, Newman, the C. S. and Mr. Hoare are appointed to attend on his Excellency at Youghal, Tallow, or where he first comes into the Co. Cork, and in the name of the City to invite his Excellency and his Company to dine with the Corporation the day he arrives in Cork, and to beg of his Excellency to name the day and hour of his dining.

That a Cap of Maintenance be immediately provided for the Sword Bearer.

The following young gentlemen are appointed to wait on the Lord Lieutenant at table the day he dines with the City; Mr. Jacob Laulke, Mr. Thos. Farren, Jun., Mr. John Travers, and Mr. Joseph Fish.

That any three of the gentlemen appointed to prepare the Entertainment and take lodgings for his Excellency shall have power to order money on an order signed by any three of them.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Croker, Austin, Jackson, Farren, Bradshaw, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Winthrop, Taylor, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers, Parks, C. S.; the Recorder as adviser, and Ald. Crone.

29 *May*, 1755.

That the Right Hon. Lord Rothes, who is to attend the Lord Lieut. to this City; the Right Hon. Fredᵏ. Cavendish, brother to the Lord Lieut.; the Right Hon. Henry Seymour Conway, Principal Sec. to the Lord-Lieut.; Coll. John Campbell, Aids-de-camp to the Lord-Lieut., be presented with their freedom in Silver boxes.

That Philip Oliver, Esq., High Sheriff of the Co. Corke, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wetherall; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Bradshaw, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Parks, C. S.; the Recorder, as adviser of the Council.

28 *June*, 1755.

The Mayor having summoned a Council to meet this morning, to have an order conceived for presenting his Grace the Lord Abp. of Cashel with his freedom in a Silver Box, one member being wanted to make a full council, it was the opinion of the members present that Mr. Mayor ought to have his Grace presented immediately, as his stay is uncertain, not doubting that same will be approved next Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Croker, Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, and Smith.

11 *July*, 1755.

This day Mr. Peter Laulke, as C. S., took the oath of secresy.

Whereas, on Sunday, 6 July, a terrible affray happened in the South Suburbs of this City, between the soldiers of General Fowkes Regᵗ. and several of the townsmen of this City, in which two soldiers were greatly wounded and one townsman killed on the spot, and several others desperately cut, and as very ill blood hath been bred between the soldiers and townspeople, so that the soldiers have threatened to oppose the Magistrates

in the execution of their duty, and particularly a great number of them with drawn hangers pursued Ald. Busteed, when he was endeavouring to find out a soldier of the regiment who had most barbarously cut with his hanger Mr. Thos. Hodder, a young gentleman of this City, without the least provocation. Ordered, that a Memorial under the City seal be immediately laid before the Government, praying that said Regt. be immediately removed from this City, and that Mr. Hoare prepare said Memorial.

The Council agrees to the resolution of 28 June, to present the Abp. of Cashel with his freedom in a Silver box.

Whereas the Popish Quarterers still persist in their refusal to pay Quarterage, ordered, that Mr. Mayor use vigorous measures, according to ancient usage, to compel payment thereof.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Smith; Ald^en^. Croker, Austen, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Wrixon, Busteed, Crone; Mr. Travers, and Laulke, C. S.

20 *Aug.*, 1755.

That £50 12*s.* 1*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor for eight Silver boxes and one Gold box, and for cleaning the City Maces; also £3 to Mr. Mayor, paid by him to two able seamen who volunteered in his Maj. Sloop of War, the Spy; also £1 10*s.* to Kane Mahony, for services last Assizes as interpreter, the Judge having refused to confirm the presentment of the Grand Jury, made for the like sum for his attendance; also 4*s.* 4*d.* to the Bridewell keeper; also £13 4*s.* 9½*d.* to Robt. Hoare, expenses of the gentlemen who went to invite the Lord-Lieut. to dine; also £39 18*s.* 9½*d.* to Mr. W^m^. Bull, Attorney, in full for his bill of costs; also that £30 be advanced to Ald. Busteed, Mr. Saml. Maylor, and Mr. Godfrey Baker, overseers, appointed to repair the City Court House on assigning to him the presentment for £30 made last Assizes.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Winthrop, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Freke; Mr. Travers and Laulke, C. S.

21 *Aug.*, 1755.

That the following Tolls be set by public cant:—

The Gateage for one year from 29 Sep^r^., the highest bidder to have a

lease on paying the Chamberlain one quarter part of such rent, and two responsible securities for remainder, subject to the following: 1ly. That all persons, now free, or who shall hereafter become free, shall be exempted from payment of Gateage, according to usage; 2ly. That no fraudulent act of any person now free shall be deemed an infringement of such lease; 3ly. That all persons now or hereafter to be free of this City may free their corn, hides, tallow, carcases of beef, pork, butter, &c., which they bought or agreed for before such goods left the place of their growth or manufacture, and all goods consigned, whereon they shall *bona fide* receive a commission of £2 10*s.* *per cent.*, and that such farmer shall take pledges for such goods, and the freeman shall have 4 days allowed him for redeeming same in the manner in use before said gateage was set to Hugh Norcott, the present Farmer, provided the quantity be written in letters by the proper hand of the Freeman who intends to free same; 4ly. That every cast of one hundred pounds weight of meat and butter, &c., shall pay a Toll of 1½*d.*, and if lesser quantity of butter, ¾*d.*, and that no toll be paid for worsted or yarn coming into the City, provided it be made of wool; 5ly. If the rent be behind three days said lease shall be void.

The Waterbailiff's employment, the highest bidder to have a lease for one year, he executing bonds payable quarterly, with two solvent securities, the lessor to collect the Chief Magistrate's dues and attend the Corporation with the Silver Oar.

The Corn Market tolls (same securities). The Tolls of the Fish Market (same securities). The tolls arising from the North and South Milk Markets. The petty Customs of the City.

Ordered, that Thos. Allen, mercht., having served Messrs. Robt. and John Wrixon; Francis Roberts, having served Ald. Randall Westropp; Christ. Collis, having served John Lawton, mercht.; Nassau Roe, having served Ald. Westropp and Co.; Edwd. Kellett, having served John Lawton, mercht.; Thomas, eldest son of Frans. Roche, clothier; Christ. Johnson, butcher, having served Robt. Long, Victualler; Sampson, eldest son of Francis Austin, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large of this City.

That the Committee who stated Mr. Hopkin's accts. examine whether credit has been given him for certain vouchers produced by him in the C. D. H., for which he alledgeth he has not credit.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wetherall; Aldn. Jackson, Croker, Newman,

Westropp, Taylor, Millerd, Winthrop, Crone, Busteed, Wrixon, Smith; Mr. Travers and Ald. Sir John Freke.

25 *Sep.*, 1755.

That £10 11*s.* 6½*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes for a Swordbearer's Cap and Gown for the use of the Corporation; also £2 5*s.* 5½*d.* to Tho. Dyer, for glazing; an annuity of £30 from 1 Nov. to Ald. Danl. Crone during his life, said Ald. being very infirm and not having any business to support him.

That John Baker, cooper, eldest son of Robt. Baker, *dec.*, who served Benj. Austen, *dec.*, said John Baker being brother-in-law to the Mayor; Jacob Laulke, mercht., having served Peter Laulke; James Morrison, mercht., having served Holland Goddard, mercht.; Francis Jackson, cooper, having served John Coughlan, cooper, be admitted free at large of this City.

That 60 Barrels of Coal be bought by Jehosaphat Huleatt for the Corporation.

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9 *Oct.*, 1755.

John Reily, Esq., Mayor.

This day, Mr. Mayor, Mr. Saml. Maylor, and Mr. Godfrey Baker, were sworn Council Men as Sheriffs.

That an address to his Majy. on his safe arrival be drawn and sent to the Lord.-Lieut. to be by him sent to his Maj.

That £300 be paid Mr. Mayor in addition to the sallary of £200 settled on the Mayor.

That Ald. Busteed apply to Mr. John Wight, late Waterbailiff, for delivering up the two Corporation boats with their apparel that were committed

to his charge, and in case he refuse that Mr. Hoare commence a suit for recovery of said Boats.

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That Francis Carleton, chamberlain, by the most speedy methods proceed for the recovery of the several debts due to the Corporation and those who have passed bonds to him for the payment of rents, &c.

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That Ald. Busteed provide ten Salt Barrels and repair the old Coal and Salt barrels.

That a picture of Sir John Freke, Bart., be drawn at full length and handsomely framed, and same be put up in the Council Chamber as a memorial for his good services to this City during his Mayoralty and bringing about the setting of the Gateage and other revenues of this City.

That a collar of SS. and Gold Chains be bought for the Mayor and Sheriffs of this City, to be worn by them in their several offices for the honour and dignity of this City, same to be made like the Collar and Chains worn by the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs of the City of Dublin.

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28 *Feb.*, 1756.

Ordered, that any sum not exceeding £15 be paid to Mr. Mayor, that he may cause to be shipped for Dublin a number of persons discharged from the Man of War in this harbour who were enlisted in Dublin, and that he pay unto each of said persons an English crown, and that if any of said persons be found in this City after the receipt of said bounty, that the Mayor will commit them as vagrants to the House of Correction.

That £40 be paid Ald. Walter Lavit and Robᵗ. Travers, Esq., for building sheds for the Potatoe Market near the Bridewell, pursuant to a plan in Ald. Lavit's and Mr. Travers' hands.

That £2 16*s.* 5*d.* be paid Thos. Jobson, Brazier, for three sets of scales and weights.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᶜⁿ. Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Winthrop, Lavit, Wrixon, Smith, Busteed; Mr. Travers, and Laulke, C. S.

28 *May*, 1756.

Mr. Mayor, having his Majᵞ's. Proclamation of war against the French King, and intending to proclaim it to-morrow, ordered, that an Entertainment be provided by Mr. Mayor at the Council Chamber to-morrow evening, in order to drink his Majᵞ's. health and success to his arms.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᶜⁿ. Austin, Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Parker, Bradshaw, Owgan, Lavit, Crone, Hodder, Busteed; Mr. Travers, and Laulke, C. S.

5 *June*, 1756.

Ordered, that Robᵗ., eldest son of Simon Davies, Esq., *dec.;* Kingsmill, eldest son of Charles Berry, brewer, *dec.;* John Roe, mercᵗ., having served Robᵗ. Armstrong, mercᵗ.; Robert, eldest son of William Homer, Esq.,

dec.; Wm. Heard, gent., having served Anthony Lane, gent.; Richard, eldest son of Ald. Adam Newman; Thos. Owgan, mercht., having served Thos. Bousfield, mercht., *dec.;* Swithen, eldest son of Swithen White, Esq., *dec.;* be admitted freemen at large.

The Committee appointed for settling the late Chamberlain, Mr. Stephen Hopkins, acctsa. report, that they reinspected the sundry receipts produced by said Hopkins, and they find the former balance of £1867 4*s.* 7*d.* to be due to the Corporation by said Hopkins, ordered, that Mr. Hoare commence a suit for recovery thereof.

That Francis Creed, butcher, having served Robt. Long, butcher, be admitted free at large.

That £5 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid Wm. Snowe, gent., Dep. Town Clerk, for his trouble in declaring war against the French King.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldcn. Croker, Jackson, Newman, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Hodder; Mr. Travers, and Laulke, C. S.

10 *June,* 1756.

That the Chamberlain pay to the Governors of the Work House £450 and interest.

That Mr. Mayor, Aldcn. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, and Robt. Travers, Esq., be a Committee to audit the acct. of the Corporation from 30 June to 29 Sep., 1754, and 29 Sep., 1754, to 29 Sep., 1755.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldcn. Croker, Farren, Newman, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith; Mr. Travers, Laulke, C. S., (afterwards) Ald. Jackson, Taylor, and Austen.

24 *July,* 1756.

No business for want of a sufficient number, Signed, Wm. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldcn. Croker, Owgan, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, and Busteed.

27 *July,* 1756.

This day Mr. Charles Hill took the oath of Common Council man as C. S.

That £20 be paid Mr. Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock on 1 Aug.;

also £5 13*s.* 9*d.* to the Rev. John Baily, Clk., for occasional sermons; also £7 19*s.* 3*d.* to the Rev. Boyle Davies, Clk., Corporation Chaplain, for occasional sermons; also £28 0*s.* 0½*d.* to Jehosaphat Huleatt, for coal, &c.; also £18 6*s.* to Mr. Mayor, for ale supplied from 24 Oct., 1755, to 22 June last; also £12 19*s.* 10*d.* to Mary Harrison, for printing work done; also £19 15*s.* 8½*d.* to Esther Holmes, for cloathing for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter; also £10 7*s.* to Andrew Dalton, for Carpenters' work done; also £8 2*s.* 8*d.* to Tho. Dyer, glazier; also £1 2*s.* 1½*d.* to Wm. Whitney upholsterer, for work done; also 10*s.* 6*d.* to Wm. Mc Loghlin, apothecary, for medicines for one John Sullivan; also £6 to Mr. Henry Browne, attorney, for business done.

That Mr. Sheriff Baker, Aldcn. Westropp and Lavit inspect the City Engines and have them put in proper repair.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Baker; Aldcn. Croker, Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Hodder; Mr. Hill, C. S. (*postea*), Ald. Lavit.

2 *Sep.*, 1756.

That the Gateage tolls and duties of the City of Corke for one year be put up by public Cant on the Exchange to the highest bidder, with all the clauses, &c., in order of Council made 25 Aug., 1755, and this additional clause, "that all persons now free, or hereafter to be made free, may free any cattle, pigs, or any goods that may be bought at any public fairs or markets without the liberties of Cork."

That £3 8*s.* 3*d.* be paid Andrew Dalton, for measuring masons' and tylers' work and drawing a plan of the New Potatoe Market; also £12 7*s.* 2*d.* be paid Thos. Clements, for stones, lime, &c., expended by him on the said Market; also £10 11*s.* 2*d.* to Walter Lavit, Esq., for timber, &c.; also £5 8*s.* 5*d.* to Robt. Heron, for makeing ten new Salt barrels and repairing others; also £11 1*s.* 3*d.* to John Fish for nails and iron work, also a further sum of £9 3*s.* 1*d.* to said John Fish for sundries.

That the Mayor Elect, Aldcn. Croker, Owgan, Lavit, Wrixon, Busteed, and Robt. Travers look about the town and report where they can find a proper place to erect a new Fish Market, the present one being small.

That Thomas, eldest son of Ald. Farren; John, eldest son of Rob. Travers; Michl. Busteed, Esq.; Francis, eldest son of Richd. Rowland, Mercht., be admitted freemen at large.

That £4 18s. 9*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, so much expended by him last May day in quelling several riots.

That George Furze, cooper, having served George Crofts, *do.;* Mathias, eldest son of Christ. Earbery, Esq.; Cornelius Callaghan, Esq., be admitted freemen at large, and John Smith, Esq., one of his Maj. Council at law, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

The following tolls to be set by cant: 22 Sep. the Waterbailiff's employment, 23 inst., the tolls of the Corn market, 24 inst., the tolls of the Fish market, 25 inst., the tolls of the North and South Milk Market.

That Mr. Mayor, Alden. Lavit, Wrixon, Busteed, and Mr. Travers be a committee for repairing Blackrock Castle.

That the stalls in the North and South Flesh market be set as the stalls in the English Shambles have been set.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Lavit, Taylor, Wrixon, Busteed, Crone, Robt. Travers, Esq., (afterwards) Ald. Smith.

20 *Oct.*, 1756.

William Harding, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Mayor was sworn a Council man, also Mr. Sheriff Roe.

That the Mayor, &c., execute a bond to the Government for the safe keeping of such arms as shall be given for the use of the Militia of this City, and for their return when required.

That Col. Fitz Williams Commanding officer of this district, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box, for his good conduct in regulating the large body of Forces quartered in this City, for embarkation, whereby no disturbances have happened therein.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Alden. Croker, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Hodder, Reily; Mr. C. Hill, C. S., also the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

30 *Oct.*, 1756.

That the Right Hon. the Earl of Shelbourne (now in this City) be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That Alden. Farren, Owgan, and Reily be a committee for settling the petty customs of this City.

Mr. Mayor, Ald. Wrixon and Busteed, three of the committee appointed to report a proper place for a new Fish Market, report that Ald. Reily has a very convenient piece of ground to set at the lower end of Hanover Street, containing in front 45 feet, and extending to the South Channel, and that Ald. Reily will set same to the Corporation for 900 years, at such yearly rent as three or four gentlemen shall say same to be worth, ordered, that the ground be taken to erect a Fish Market, at such rent as Ald. Atkins, and Owgan, and two gentlemen appointed by the C. D. H. shall agree to.

That 15*s.* 9*d.* be paid Francis Adams, late 'Change Porter, for sand and faggots.

That £3 10*s.* be paid Joseph Kinselagh for two silver boxes; also £11 7*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Geo. Fuller, in full of all his demands; also 14*s.* 10*d.* to Francis Evans, 'Change Porter, for sand, brooms, and faggots; also £16 6*s.* 6½*d.* to Mr. Wm. Bull, for law business; also £3 17*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. Bickford Heard, atty., for law expenses.

That the Corporation Ground on the Sand quay be set for 999 years by public cant to the highest bidder.

That Thos. Cuthbert, merch., having served Ald. Wm. Winthrop, be admitted a freeman at large.

That £2 2*s.* 3*d.* be paid Martha Pilkington for printing work.

That Benjamin, eldest son of Benj, Roberts, merch., be admitted free at large.

That Mr. Hoare apply to Abraham and Jonas Morris, Esqr., for a renewal of the Cattle Market lease, and report.

The Governors of the Workhouse having petitioned the Council, setting forth that by the increase of years of the Foundling children, and the numbers, the funds of said workhouse are not sufficient, by at least £500 pounds a year, and they have strong reasons to believe that the Parliament next Session will grant some relief for the support of said workhouse; but in the meantime said charity will be destroyed without some immediate relief; ordered, that £200 be paid out of the City revenues to the Governors for said Charity.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe, Alden. Jackson, Farren, and Wrixon, be a committee to inspect the ground granted to the Corporation by Dr. Broclesby, and to return to the Council plans of a Guard-house, Milk and

Potato Markets to be built thereon, and report the expenses of building a Guard House at the North Shambles and convenient place for same.

That Thos Browne, merch^t., having served Robt. Travers, Esq., be admitted a freeman at large.

That the two old boats belonging to the Corporation be sold by Public Cant, on the Exchange, by the Waterbailiff or his Deputy.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Ald^en. Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Bradshaw, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Reily, (afterwards) Ald. Taylor and Crone, (afterwards) Ald. Millerd and Ald. Austin.

16 *Nov.*, 1756.

That Sheriff Roe have the benefit of the dung from North to South Gate, he collecting and keeping the streets clean.

That Mr. Hoare prepare a proper state of the case of the several companies of trades of this City, and lay same with their several Charters and bye-laws before the Recorder and such other lawyers as he shall see proper, in order that said Companies may be put on a right footing for establishing a regular method of recovering their Quarterage.

That £1 1*s.* 10*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, so much by him paid the express from the West with an account of some French privateers being on the coast.

Ordered, that the Petty customs gathered for standing in this City be set to public cant on 1 Dec. next, for one year, subject to the following restrictions: *viz.*, that no fuel, faggots, straw, sedge, fowl, butter in baskets, eggs, &c., which are drawn or carried through the public streets for the use of the inhabitants, in a moveing posture, and not unladen or pitched in the public streets in order to be there sold, shall be liable to pay for pitching or standing, unless the same are really pitched in said streets and remain an incumbrance there at least half an hour, or until sold; and also that no pigs killed in the country, or hawked about the streets of this City on cars or horses' backs for sale, nor any leather, skins, wool, hoops, twigs, brooms, oysters, scollops, barley, oats, and such like goods as are drawn in order to be sold before same shall be pitched, shall be liable to pay for standing in said streets, unless the same be actually unladen and pitched for sale or remain an encumbrance on said streets at least half an hour. The aforesaid restrictions to be inserted in the lease.

That £59 be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., his bill of costs from Easter term, 1754, to 13 Nov. inst.

That John Cuthbert, mercht., having served Joseph Popham, mercht., be admitted free at large.

That a clause be inserted in the surrender of Mr. Hartnett's Patent of his Fair, for the Corporation to indemnify said Hartnett and his heirs from the King's rent of 5*s.* a year reserved in said Patent.

That James Dumas, mercht., who served Joseph Lewin Hillgrove to the time of his death, and the remainder to said Hillgrove's brother, be admitted free at large of this City.

That Ald. Wrixon and Mr. Hoare do treat with Ald. Roche, of Limerick, for a piece of ground on the South side of the City Court House, and agree with him for a lease of same to be made to the Corporation, provided same does not exceed £20 a year.

That the Chamberlain get from the several Collectors of the gateage, other City revenues, and the tenants of the City estate, the several receipts passed to them by Mr. Stephen Hopkins, and that he pass his receipt for such receipts.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Alden. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Winthropp, Taylor, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Hodder, Reily; Mr. Hill, C. S., also the Recorder as adviser.

10 *Dec.*, 1756.

That a clause be inserted in the deed of Surrender of Mr. James Hartnett's Patent for the Fairs, to indemnify said Hartnett and his heirs from the King's rent of 6*s.* 8*d.*, the last order being rejected by the C. D. H. as by mistake 5*s.* was mentioned therein.

Whereas Ald. Wrixon and Mr. Hoare report that they treated with Ald. Roche, of Limerick, for the piece of ground at the South side of the City Court-house, and that Ald. Roche can set a lease thereof for either three lives or 31 years, and that he will set same to the Corporation for £20 yearly rent; ordered, that the Mayor, &c., do take the premises for 31 years at said rent.

That £12 12*s.* 4*d.* be paid to Mr. Walter Palliser for News Papers and Votes supplied from 7 Sep., 1755, to 7 Sep., 1756.

That £5 16*s.* 3*d.* be paid Tho. Dyer, glazier, for work done.

That Sir John Conway Colthurst, Bart., eldest son of John Colthurst, Esq., *dec.*, be admitted free at large.

That Rowland, only son of William Delahoide, *dec.*, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Alden. Atkins, Croker, Farren, Westropp, Lavit, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, and Reily.

24 *Dec.*, 1756.

That the Right Hon. Wm. Lord Blakeney, Commander of His Maj. Iniskilling Foot, be presented with his freedom in a Gold box, for his good and faithful services in defence of his King and Country.

That £18 10*s.* be paid Mr. Isaac Bussy for candles.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Alden. Croker, Austin, Bradshaw, Lavit, Winthrop, Crone, Smith, Hodder, and Reily.

2 *Feb.*, 1757.

Ordered, that Mr. Hugh Taylor be appointed Overseer of the Public works of this City, in the room of Jehosaphat Huleatt, *dec.*, and that he be paid a salary of £20 a year for his trouble.

That £13 10*s.* 1*d.* be paid Mr. Elias Mainaduc for clothes supplied the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe, Ald. Croker, Owgan, Lavit, and the C. S. be a committee to prepare a plan of the Fish Market to be built on the ground taken from Ald. Reily, and to inspect the ground taken from Ald. Roche, and report how the same shall be laid out for the best advantage.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Alden. Croker, Owgan, Taylor, Winthrop, Lavit, Millerd, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Smith, Hodder, Reily, and Mr. Hill, C. S.

13 *April*, 1757.

Sheriff Newenham sworn Council Man.

That £11 18*s.* 6*d.* be paid to Hugh Taylor, for coals delivered to the several Guards; also 17*s.* 8*d.* to Francis Evans, Exchange Porter, for sand and brooms.

That George Quin, Esq., of the City of Dublin; William, son of Hon. Henry Cavendish; Edwd. Newenham, of the City of Dublin, Esq.; Henry Wrixon, Esq., of Glinfied, [*sic.*] be admitted free at large of this City.

That Ald. Owgan, be paid £40 for lodging the Judges of Assize, instead of £20.

That Francis Carleton, Esq., pay Mr. Hillgrove £172 10*s.*, his account as Treasurer to the Green Coat Hospital.

That Mr. Francis Margarett, who served John Lawton; Mr. Will. Clarke, who served Christ. Carleton;

Mr. John Don Roche, who served Mr. Stephen Don Roche, be admitted freemen at large.

That Mr. Mayor put the City Seal to Addis Bustead's memorial to the Duke of Devonshire.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alde^n. Croker, Jackson, Winthrop, Owgan, Taylor, Millerd, Crone, Busteed, Wrixon, Reily, and Mr. Hill, C. S.

28 *April*, 1757.

That Admiral Holbourne; General Hopson; Commodore Holmes; Will. Holbourne, Esq., Capt. of His Maj. Ship of war Newark, 80 guns; Thomas Cornwall, Esq., Capt. of H. M. Ship of war Grafton, 70 guns; Hon. Lord Colvill, Capt. of H. M. Ship of war Northumberland, 70 guns; Richard Collins, Esq., Capt. of H. M. Ship of war the Terrible, 74 guns; Capt. Sprey, of H. M. Ship of war Oxford, 70 guns; John Amhurst, Esq., Cap. of H. M. Ship of war Captain, 70 guns; Capt. Mantle, of H. M. Ship of war Centurion, 60 guns; George Mackenzie, Esq., Capt. of H. M. Ship of war Sunderland, 60 guns; W^m. Parry, Esq., Capt. of H. M. Ship of war Kingston, 60 guns; Henry Bramsley, Esq., Capt. of H. M. Ship of war Tilbury, 60 guns; Francis Saml. Drake, Capt. of H. M. Ship of war Falkland, 50 guns; James Webb, Esq., Capt. of H. M. Ship of war S^t. Albans, 60 guns; the Hon. Lord Charles Hay, Major Gen. of His Maj. Forces, be presented with their Freedoms in Silver boxes.

That £50 be paid Mr. Mayor to provide an Entertainment for the Admiral, General, Commodore, Colonels, Captains of the Men of war, and other officers of the Navy and Army now in this Harbour preparing to go on the intended Expedition.

That £50 be paid Mr. Hugh Taylor, the City overseer, to enable him to

pay the workmen employed in clearing out the ground taken from Ald. Roche and providing materials.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Aldᵉⁿ. Croker, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Winthrop, Westhropp, Taylor, Wrixon, Smith; Mr. C. S., (afterwards) Ald. Austin.

10 *May*, 1757.

That £21 8*s*. 9*d*. be paid Mr. Mayor, the expense for providing Guard Rooms for the Soldiers on the late expedition; also £70 to the Mayor, &c., for sending to their respective homes the wives and children of the Soldiers gone on the late expedition.

That Richard Hare and Bussell Hare, Merchᵗˢ., have such liberty as the Corporation can grant to carry on in a straight line from the East end of the Quay before Ald. Baldwin's late holdings on Cold Harbour of the same breadth therewith, the said quay to the East end of the holding of the said Richard and Bussell Hare, to be done at the expense of said Richard and Bussell Hare.

Whereas Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Roe, Aldᵉⁿ. Croker, Owgan, Lavit, and Mr. C. S. report to the Council a plan for building a market on the ground taken from Ald. Roche, which plan they agree to, and in case it be approved of by the C. D. H., the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., Ald. Owgan, and Lavit are appointed a Committee for carrying out said plan.

The same Committee report to the Council a plan for building a Fish Market on the ground taken from Ald. Reily, which they agree to, and in case it be approved by the C. D. H., the same Committee are appointed for carrying out the plans.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Roe; Aldᵉⁿ. Croker, Owgan, Winthrop, Lavit, Taylor, Crone, Smith, Busteed, Reily, and Hill, C. S.

13 *June*, 1757.

That Mr. Mayor, Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, and Robᵗ. Travers, Esq., with such persons as shall be nominated by the C. D. H., be a Committee to audit the public accounts from 29 Sep., 1755, to 25 March last.

That £17 5*s*. 7*d*. be allowed Francis Carleton, Esq., so much money by him advanced at different times to buy coals

That Richᵈ. Kellet, having served Hugh Lawton and Francis Carleton;

James Looby, merch^{t}., having served Francis Carleton, be admitted freemen at large.

That £1 4*s.* be paid Mr. Mayor, expense of a guard of soldiers appointed by him to prevent riots at Fair Hill last fair days; also £14 8*s.* to Mr. John Smith, for beer supplied to the Army on rejoicing days in the Mayoralty of Ald. Hodder.

That John Harding, gent., nephew to the Mayor, and Peter Cambridge, merch^{t}., be admitted free at large.

That such suit as Council shall advise be commenced against the rep^{s}. of Abraham Dickson, *dec.*, for the recovery of a legacy of £300 and interest left by said Dickson to the Corporation for the Blue Coat Hospital.

That the expenses of the Mayor's defence to a complaint made against him in the Court of King's Bench by Ald. Fuller and Danl. Sullivan, Jun., Baker, with regard to the swearing a Dep. Weigh Master, be paid out of the revenues of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Newenham; Ald^{en}. Croker, Atkins, Jackson, Farran, Owgan, Westropp, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Smith, and Reily.

15 *June*, 1757.

That Messrs. Rich^{d}. and Bussell Hare, Merch^{ts}., have liberty to enlarge the Quay before their premises on Cold Harbour to the same breadth of the quay before the late dwelling-house and premises of Ald. Baldwin, the said quay before the said premises of Rich^{d}. and Bussell Hare to range in a straight line with the west end of said quay before the premises of said Baldwin, the order of Council of 10 May for enlarging said quay being irregularly conceived.

That John Heacock, cooper, having served Jonathan Winthrop, *dec.*; Richard Fuller, merch^{t}., having served his Father, Thos. Fuller, merch^{t}., be admitted freemen at large; and that the Right Hon. John Lord Viscount Castlecomer be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Newenham; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Taylor, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily; afterwards, Ald. Austin and Mr. C. S.

29 *July*, 1757.

This day the Mayor Elect and Mr. Moore, C. S., took the oath of secrecy.

That £43 17*s.* 9*d.* be allowed out of two bonds of Hugh Millerd, Esq., in

the Chamberlain's hands, being so much suffered by him on the lease he took from the Corporation of the tolls of the North Milk Market; that £67 18*s.* 3*d.* be paid Wm. Snowe, for Atty. and Not. Pub. business from July, 1754, to 29 Sep., 1755; that £1 16*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Thomas Clements, for mason work; also £3 8*s.* 5*d.* to Mrs. Martha Pilkington, for printing work done in the Mayoralty of Ald. Reily.

That Thos. Collis, mercht., having served Noblet Johnson; Walter Kelly, gent., having served Saml. Slocomb, *dec.;* Wm. Snowe, gent.; and William Fuller, mercht., be admitted freemen at large.

That Mr. Mayor be paid £20, for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug.

Mr. Hoare having reported that he laid the case with regard to quarterage before the Recorder, Councillors Weeks, Newenham, Crone, Crips, Verling, and Dring, that said lawyers met on a Consultation, and are of opinion that one or more new bye-law or bye-laws are necessary to be made by the Corporation for regulating said quarterage, ordered, that Mr. Hoare employ said lawyers to draw a proper draft of such bye-law or bye-laws.

That the Gateage tolls, Waterbailiff's employment, Fish Market dues, Corn Market dues, North Milk Market dues, South Milk Market dues, and Petty customs of this City be set by public cant on the Exchange to the highest bidder for one year.

That £65 19*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Ald. Hodder for seventeen silver boxes and one Gold one.

Whereas a Memorial was presented to the Council, signed by some of the Inhabitants, praying that the present Bridewell should be converted to a Fish market, and that a Bridewell should be built on the ground taken from Ald. Reily, It appears to the Council that said Bridewell was built by presentment of the Grand Jury of the Co. of said City, and that the money was levied on the Inhabitants of this City, and therefore the Corporation hath no property therein, and further, that the ground taken from Ald. Reily is expressly mentioned in the lease to be for building a Fish Market, ordered, that the former plan be carried into execution.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldn. Atkins, Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Parker, Owgan, Taylor, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, and Mr. Moore, C. S.

17 *Oct.*, 1757.

Usher Philpot, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Mayor, also Mr. Sheriffs Travers and Westropp were sworn Common Council Men.

That Hugh Taylor buy 50 Barrels of coals for the use of the City.

That £5 be paid to Mr. Robt. Hoare, to be by him laid out in endeavouring to find and redeem the several measures, &c., formerly lodged with a stamp master and not found for several years.

That 12 new coal barrels be made, and the several old ones, that can be made good, repaired, and such as are unfit for use to be knocked in pieces, the sheets sold for what they may bring.

That Rich^{d}. Lane, merch^{t}., having served the present Mayor; Gervas Hall, gent., having served Charles Waddington; and Joseph, eldest son of Rich^{d}. Fish, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

That £32 2*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Mr. W^{m}. Bull, att^{y}., law expenses; also £60 7*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Robt. Hoare, his bill of costs; also £20 to Ald^{en}. Jackson, Farren, Wrixon, and Harding to build a guard house at the North Shambles near Shandon Church, according to a plan approved of; also £12 11*s.* 8*d.* to Rich^{d}. Bagwell, for painting work done at Blackrock Castle; also £8 11*s.* 9*d.* to Thos. Dyer, for plumbing work done at Blackrock and elsewhere.

That the petty customs gathered for standings be set by public cant to the highest bidder on 15 Nov. next for one year, subject to the restrictions as said petty customs were.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Travers and Westrop; Ald^{en}. Croker, Farren, Fuller, Owgan, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, and Mr. Moore, C. S.

26 *Oct.*, 1757.

That W^{m}. Bishop, gent., having served Mr. Andrew Peace, apothecary; Thomas Burnett, merch^{t}., having served W^{m}. Burnett, merch^{t}., be admitted freemen at large.

That £8 6*s.* 4*d.* be paid Andrew Dalton, for carpenters' work done; also £7 1*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Thomas Holland, Tyler and Slater, for work done; also £3 2*s.* 8*d.* to Kane Mahony, so much expended at Blackrock Castle

over and above the £20 granted; also 19*s.* 7*d.* to Francis Evans, Exchange Porter, for sand, brooms, faggots, &c.; also £1 2*s.* 9*d.* to said Evans, for summoning the Common array and Constables; also £10 to Mr. S. Lawrence Bowden, for his trouble for supplying the Mayor for four years with lists of the shipping inwards.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Alden. Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Lavit, Millerd, Wrixon, Reily; Mr. Moore, C. S.; afterwards, Ald. Fuller, and Westropp.

15 *Nov.*, 1757.

That a Memorial be sent to the Lord Lieut., setting forth that Wm. Pitt, Esq., Lieut.-Col. of Col. Montague's Regt. of Foot, now lying in said City, and Commanding Officer of the garrison, had caused a sentinel to be put on the dwelling house of Wm. Fraser, aleseller, and the Mayor, &c., having applied to said Pitt to take off said sentinel, to the great grievance of said Fraser and a breach of the laws of the land, ordered, that Mr. Hoare do prepare a Memorial and direct the agent at Dublin to wait on Sir John Freke and Col. Pigot to wait on the Lord Lieut. with said Memorial.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westrop; Alden. Atkins, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Bradshaw, Owgan, Westropp, Taylor, Reily, and Mr. Moore, C. S.

20 *Jan.*, 1758.

That £8 be paid Ald. Reily for ale supplied 10 Nov., 1756, and 1757; also £11 7*s.* 6*d.* to Rev. Boyle Davies, Clk., for ten occasional sermons preached before the Corporation; also £9 4*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. Walter Palliser, for English News Papers and votes from Mich. 1756, to Midsummer, 1757, and one year's Irish News Paper to Dec., 1757; also £4 7*s.* 1*d.* to Eugene Sweeny, for printers' work done in the Mayoralties of Sr. John Freke, Ald. Reily, and Harding; also £16 14*s.* 8*d.* to Mrs. Esther Holmes, for cloathes for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter; also £7 2*s.* 6*d.* to Mary Harrison, for printing work done; also £2 14*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. Wm. Leahy, for an officers' guard room by him provided at Blackpool, and candles supplied from 4 Sep., 1757, to 18 Oct. following.

That Hugh Taylor, City Overseer, immediately buy 30 Barrels of coals for the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Westropp; Ald^en^. Croker, Farren, Fuller, Westropp, Lavit, Reily, Wrixon, and Busteed.

31 *Jan.*, 1758.

This day Robt. Travers, Esq., Ald. Westropp, Wrixon, Mr. Cossart, Ald. Harding, Mr. Izod, Ald. Reily, Owgan, and Mr. Robt. Lane, being a Committee to audit the public accounts, report that they audited the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., Chamberlain, and that a ballance of £1375 5*s.* 6½*d.* was due from said Carleton to the Corporation, to 30 June, 1754.

Ald. Harding, Robt. Travers, Esq., Mr. Izod, Mr. Robt. Lane, Mr. Cossart, Ald. Reily, Westropp, and Owgan, being a Committee appointed by the C. D. H. to audit the public accounts from 30 June, 1754, to 29 Sep., 1755, report that they audited the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq, Chamberlain, for said time and found a ballance of £1705 6*s.* 11½*d.* due from said Carleton to the Corporation to 30 June 1755.

Ordered, that Ald^en^. Harding, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, and Robt. Travers, Esq., be nominated by the C. D. H. a committee to audit the public accounts of this Corporation from 25 March, 1757, to 29 Sep., 1757.

That £6 16*s.* 10*d.* be paid Ald. Lavit for timber; also £2 10*s.* 1*d.* to the Widow Dinneen, for an officers' Guard Room at Leitrim for 7 weeks and 5 days, from 24 Aug., 1757; also 12*s.* 1*d.* to Mary Dinane, for a Serjeants' Guard Room at Fair Lane for 13 days, from 24 Aug., 1757; also 6*s.* 5½*d.* to Mary Dinane, for an officers' Guard Room at Fair Lane for 5 days, from 24 Aug. 1757; also £2 8*s.* 10½*d.* to Timothy Mahony, for an officers' Guard Room at Blarney Lane for 5 weeks and 3 days, from 4 Sep., 1757; also £24 11*s.* 7½*d.* to Mr. Isaac Bussy, for Candles from 20 Nov., 1756, to 27 Sep., 1757.

Ordered, that the effects of Abraham Dondret, who was found a *felo de se* by the Coroner's inquest, and whose effects were seized by the Coroner for the use of the Corporation, pursuant to a grant in their Charter, on the petition of Cath. Trague (?), als. Dondret, daughter of said Abraham, be given up by the Coroner to the next of kin as the free gift of the Corporation.

That the principal and interest due from the Corporation, by their bonds either passed or assigned, to Mr. W^m^. Clarke be paid said Clark or such other person as hath the custody of said Bond.

That Bayly Rogers, Esq., Doctor of Physic, eldest son of Joseph Rogers,

Esq., *dec.;* Andrew Hill, cooper, having served John Flemming, cooper; John, eldest son of Rich^d. Allen, *dec.;* be admitted free at large.

That £22 15*s.* be paid Mr. W^m. Snowe for his trouble and attendance in the Mayoralties of Ald. Reily and Harding as Clerk of the Array and livening (?) all the Protestant inhabitants of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Croker, Jackson, Farren, Westropp, Lavit, Wrixon, Busteed, Owgan, and Reily.

27 *Feb.*, 1758.

That £15 4*s.* 6*d.* be paid Kane Mahony for an entertainment supplied by him on the King of Prussia's birth day.

That the Hon. Christ. Robinson, Esq., one of the Justices of the King's Bench and Judge of Assize, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

That £5 17*s.* 11*d.* be paid Andrew Dalton for carpenters' work; also 17*s.* to the Mayor, so much paid by him for mending a soldier's sword that was broke in quelling a riot.

That W^m. Reynolds, goldsmith, having served Ald. Hodder, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Ald^en. Croker, Farren, Owgan, Taylor, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Hodder, Reily, and Moore, C. S.

8 *March*, 1758.

No business recorded. Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mr. Recorder; Ald^en. Austin, Croker, Jackson, Farren, Bradshaw, Owgan, Westrop, Lavit, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Smith, Reily, and Moore, C. S.

11 *April*, 1758.

That £5 3*s.* 9*d.* be paid Tho. Cross for upholsterers' work done on Christ Church Gallery; also £1 3*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Mayor for 6 barrels of coal; also 19*s.* 10*d.* to Evans, Change Porter, for that he laid out; also to Hugh Taylor so much money as 100 barrels of coal shall cost, &c., for the use of the Corporation.

Ordered, that the East end of the Meat Shambles near the Court House, being so low that idle people get over it, ordered that said wall be raised.

That all tradesmen's accounts, &c., laid before the Council be referred to

the inspection of three members of Council and carefully examined, and a report made if there be anything objectionable.

That the two new houses built by the Corporation on part of the ground taken from Ald. Roche, of Limerick, be divided, and a pair of stairs carried from the ground next the said houses to the Eastward, and said houses be sold by public cant for seven years to the highest bidder giving security for the payment of his rent.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Aldᵉⁿ. Austin, Croker, Owgan, Westrop, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Smith, Hodder, and Moore, C. S.

7 *July*, 1758.

The Mayor was obliged to break up for want of sufficient number.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Aldᵉⁿ. Farren, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder; Mr. Rickotts, C. S.

10 *July*, 1758.

This day Wᵐ. Rickotts took the oath of secrecy as Common Speaker.

That Simon Bradstreet, Esq., Jun.; Walter Travers, Esq.; Ralph Westropp, Esq.; Hovell Farmer, Esq.; and the Revᵈ. Michæl Tisdall, Clk., be admitted freemen at large, and the Rev. Mich. Tisdall, Chaplain to the Corporation, and that he be presented with a Tippet.

This day Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Wrixon, Harding, Mr. Izod, and Mr. Robᵗ. Lane reported that they audited the Chamberlain's accounts to 29 Sep., 1756, and that the sum of £2533 18*s*. 1¾*d*. is due to the Corporation.

Same Committee report that they have audited the Chamberlain's accounts to 29 Sep., 1757, and that the sum of £3358 16*s*. 4¾*d*. is due to the Corporation.

That £25 10*s*. be paid Mr. Thos. Wood, four years' rent of the Guard house at Blackpool, and candles supplied the guard, and repairs of damage done by the soldiers.

That Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Harding, Mr. Izod, and Robᵗ. Lane be a Committee to report the answer to the several queries laid before the Council by the late Committee for settling the public accounts.

That £10 7*s*. be paid Mrs. Eliz. Fish for Iron work and coal barrels supplied; also £12 6*s*. 6*d*. to Robᵗ. Heron, cooper, for 12 barrels for

measuring coal; also £4 15*s.* 2½*d.* to Phinias and George Bagnell for printting work in the Mayoralties of Ald. Hodder and Reily.

That the Town Clerk's office be made of such part of the cellar under the Court House, lately in the possession of Mr. Henry Rugge, with a door to open into the Exchange where an old door formerly was, and that Ald. Lavit and Busteed be a Committee with those appointed by the C. D. H. to carry on the work, and further, that the recent Town Clerk's office, when the other is finished, shall be left in the keeping of the Change porter for the use of the Merchants to write and do their exchange business in.

That 19*s.* 6*d.* be paid Ald. Harding for six oak chairs supplied by him for the officers' Guard room; also £4 13*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Hugh Taylor for small articles for the Corporation.

That the Coroner be paid out of the City Revenues 20*s.* for every inquest he holds in the Co. of this City.

That the Mayor, Sheriffs, Ald^en^. Reily, Busteed, and Westropp be a Committee to report on a proper piece of ground for building a Mayoralty house on.

This day a draft of a bye-law relating to the Company of Clothiers, and signed by the Recorder, Councillors Weeks, Crone, Crips, and Dring, was read and agreed to, ordered, that said draft be a precedent for drawing a bye-law for each of the other Companies of this City.

That £14 15*s.* 2*d.* be paid Elis. Smith, for iron-work supplied; also £5 0*s.* 9*d.* to Thos. Dyer, for plumbing, &c.; also £5 18*s.* 10½*d.* to Thos. Holland, for tyler and slater's work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Ald^en^. Austin, Farren, Westropp, Taylor, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, and Rickotts, C. S.

12 *July*, 1758.

That one guinea be paid the Rev^d^. Mathias Spread, for an occasional Sermon. Also £20 for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle, 1 Aug. Also a pension of £20 a year to the Widow of Ald. Croker, *dec.*, during her widowhood.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers, and Ald. Lavit be a committee for setting up a room in the Market-house for an Armory, with racks, &c., for the arms lately granted by the Government for the use of the Militia.

That the fines, forfeitures, and amercements arising in this City, and

which are granted by Charter, be demised by lease to the Governors of the Work House, for the use of the Workhouse, for three years, at a peppercorn a year.

That the several repairs following be made:—The Exchange to be new painted and whitewashed; the lead over the Council Chamber to be soldered, the leaks stopped; the cupola to be new painted, and the lead fastened. A new lead spout to be put up at the Meat Shambles. The windows, doors, and rails of the Corn Market-house, to be painted; the slating new pointed, new wood spouts in place of the old spouts, and the lead of the battlements to be repaired. The North Meat Shambles to be repaired in the roof; new lead and wood spouts to be put up, and posts and frame to be painted; the door, wall, and roof of the linney near South Gaol to be repaired. And Mr. Mayor, Ald. Lavit, and Wrixon to see said repairs done.

That £6 14*s.* be paid Mr. John Wood, for one year's rent of the Guardhouse at Blackpool, and candles supplied.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Ald^en^. Austin, Farren, Westropp, Taylor, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, and Mr. Rickotts, C. S.

14 *Aug.*, 1758.

That £25 a year be paid the Rev^d^. Mich^l^. Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, in consideration whereof he is to visit the Blue Coat Hospital, cause the children to be properly instructed in their Catechism and principles of the Protestant religion, to inspect the cloathing, bedding, and food of the children, and report to the visitors and this board from time to time; also he shall visit the children in the Workhouse of this City, to see that they be instructed in their Catechism and principles of the Protestant religion; he shall also visit the Protestant debtors and prisoners in the City gaol in the times of their sickness, &c., in order that such poor confined persons may have the benefit of private prayers, &c.

That £1 14*s.* 5*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, expenses sending two messengers to Passage to search for a French pacquet, that he had information was on board a ship lying at Passage.

That a pension of £20 a year be paid the widow of Ald. Geo. Fuller during her widowhood.

That £100 be paid the trustees of S. Stephen's Hospital, on account of the loan of £920 borrowed from said trustees, for building Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses.

That Mr. Hoare prosecute a suit for the recovery of money due by mortgage from James Browne, *dec.*

That James, Lord Bp. of Limerick, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That £4 6*s.* 9*d.* be paid Ald. Hodder, for Silversmith work done to 24 July last.

That Robt. Tynte, Esq., be admitted a freeman at large of this City.

That the Gateage, Tolls, Waterbailiff's employment, Fish Market dues, Corn Market dues, North and South Milk Market dues, be set by Public Cant, on the Exchange, to the highest bidder for one year from 29 Sep. next.

Present — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Atkins, Jackson, Farren, Fuller, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, and Rickotts, C. S.

16 *Aug.*, 1758.

The Mayor was obliged to break up for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Atkins, Jackson, Westropp, Taylor, Busteed, and Reily.

23 *Aug.*, 1758.

That John Philpot, gent., nephew to Mr. Mayor; John Westrop, Esq.; Andrew Franklin, gent.; Richard Loyd, mercht., having served Noblet Johnson, mercht.; Andrew Roe, mercht., having served Mr. Joseph Popham and Riggs Falkiner, Esq., merchts.; John, only son of John Hill clothier, be admitted free at large.

That £5 11*s.* 7½*d.* be paid Thos. Holland, for slator's work done.

That the middle floor of the house lately set to Mr. Callaghan be taken at a yearly rent of £7 for an Officer's Guard Room, said Callaghan to provide all conveniences, except a bed.

That Mr. Martin French have liberty to take away a little bank in the North Channel lying before said French's quay, and for building and en-

larging said quay ranging in an equal line East and West with Mr. Francis Goold's quay.

That Mr. David Fitz Gerald have liberty for building a quay in the dock at the back of his cellars, to extend from 10 to 12 feet into said dock, to be done under the inspection of Ald^en^. Wrixon, Busteed, and Reily, so as to take care of the navigation of said dock.

This day the Bye-laws of the several Companies of Cordwainers, Bakers, Taylors, Blacksmiths, Carpenters, Coopers, Goldsmiths, Barber Chirurgeons, Tallow chandlers, Whitawers, Masons and Porters, were read and approved of.

That Reuben Harvey, merch^t^., having served Joseph Devonshire, merch^t^., be admitted free at large.

That £70 4*s.* 7½*d.* be paid Mr. W^m^. Snowe, Not. Pub., business done by him from Oct., 1755, to Sep., 1757.

That £61 6*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., for law business from Oct., 1757, to present month; also £30 3*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. W^m^. Bull for law business; also £15 to Hugh Taylor, towards finishing the Guard-house outside North Gate.

That the Committee appointed for repairing the Exchange, Shambles, Corn Market, and making a Town Clerk's office have power to draw from time to time such sums as may be necessary.

That the several standings of Frize and other Woollens, of bandle cloath, and other linnens, and of gartering and other small wares now kept in the Public Street, to the great detriment of the free passage thereof, be removed into the New Market lately built near the City Court House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Atkins, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Rickotts, C. S., and Ald. Harding.

6 *Sep.*, 1758.

The Mayor obliged to break up for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Farren, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Reily, Harding, and Rickotts, C. S.

13 Sep., 1758. The Mayor broke up for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present--Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp; Aldᵉⁿ. Farren, Westropp, Lavit, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, and Rickotts, C. S.

14 *Sep.*, 1758.

Whereas Samˡ. Hoare, Esq., one of the Surveyors of the Cove of Cork, has been appointed one of His Maj. Justices of the Peace for co. Cork, on the remonstrance of the Mayor and Merchants of Cork to the Government, that a Justice of the Peace resident at Cove would be of great use to the trade of this City, ordered, that the expenses of the Commission for said Hoare be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

That 20 guineas a-year be paid Mr. Wᵐ. Snowe, Dep. Clerk of Council, for his trouble in entering the orders of the Council.

This day, Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Aldᵉⁿ. Reily, Busteed, and Westropp, reported to the Council, that the Dock belonging to the Corporation at Daunt's Bridge, and ending at the Post Office, is very noisome to the Public, and same ought to be arched over, and that the upper part next the Post Office, when arched, will be a proper place to build a Mayoralty House, with a handsome avenue leading therefrom to Daunt's Bridge, to be always left open as a public walk; ordered, that said dock be forthwith arched over, and that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., Aldᵉⁿ. Farren, Westropp, Busteed, Wrixon, and Reily, be a committee for arching said Dock, and preparing a plan of a Mayoralty house and offices, &c.

That £10 12*s.* 8½*d.* be paid Kane Mahony, Vintnor, expenses of an entertainment at the Exchange, on receiving the agreeable news of the taking of Luisburg from the French; also £100 to Mrs. Eliz. Croker, widow of Ald. Croker, to enable her to provide for herself and children, as her husband has died in very low circumstances.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Lavit, Crone, and Rickotts, C. S.

15 *Nov.*, 1758.

John Swete, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Sher. Parks took the oath of a Council man as Sheriff.

Whereas Mr. Mayor has been served with an order out of the King's Bench to show cause why he should not be attached at the prosecution of

John Meskell and others, which prosecution is founded on Mr. Mayor's committing the prosecutors for Quarteridge, ordered, that the prosecution be defended at the expense of the Corporation, and that Mr. Hoare, agent, take care thereof.

That a further sum of £100 be paid to the trustees of S. Stephen's Hospital, on account of the loan of £920 formerly borrowed for building Skiddy's and Bretridge's Almshouses.

That £8 18*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., expenses of obtaining a Com. of the Peace for Saml. Hoare, Esq., one of the Surveyors at Cove.

That £1 15*s.* 3*d.* be paid the Rev^d. Mich^l. Tisdal, for a large Bible and Common Prayer Book, for the use of the poor Prisoners of the City Gaol; also £1 0*s.* 9*d.* to Francis Evans, 'Change Porter, for sand, &c.; also £3 9*s.* 3*d.* to W^m. Whitney, upholsterer, for a Guard Bed for the officer of the Main Guard; also £14 17*s.* 7½*d.* to Isaac Bussy, chandler, for candles from 27 Oct., 1757, to 7 Oct., 1758.

That Richard Burtt, glazier, who served Tho. Dyer, be admitted free at large.

That a Committee be appointed for repairing the Exchange, &c., the Guard-room at Blackpool, and the several Sentinal boxes.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parkes; Ald^en. Jackson, Farren, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reilly, Harding, and Philpott.

2 *Dec.*, 1758.

The Mayor was obliged to break up for want of a sufficient number, but Ald. Wrixon came in and made a full Council.—W^m. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Whereas Richard Kennyfick, by a warrant under the hand and seal of the Mayor, lately dredged for oysters in the river of Cork near the lands of Ballybickan, and that one Derby Bohilly by force took from said Kennyfick his dredge, and carried same away on pretence that the right of fishing there for oysters was in George Connor, of Ballybickan, Esq.; ordered, that a suit be commenced by Kennyfick against Bohilly for damages, at the expense of the Corporation; and further, that if the said Bohilly, or any other person shall hereafter presume to take away any dredge from any person fishing in the river of Corke under the warrant of the Mayor, the expenses

of any law-suit to be borne by the Corporation, said Bohilly's attempt being an high breach of the ancient priviledges of this City.

That Ald^en^. Westropp, Wrixon, Reily, with those appointed by the C. D. H. be a committee for settling the Public accounts from 29 Sep., 1757, to 29 Sep., 1758.

Whereas Ald. Philpott has been served with an order out of the King's Bench, for committing, as Mayor of this City, one John Magrath, a taylor, for the price of a ladie's Jacket, which it appears to the Mayor he spoiled; ordered, that the expenses be out of the revenues of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Parks and Collis; Ald^en^. Farren, Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, and Philpott.

12 *Dec.*, 1758.

The Mayor was obliged to break up for want of sufficient number.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, (afterwards) Ald. Farren.

13 *Dec.*, 1758.

Whereas Hugh Taylor, by order, 2 Feb., 1757, was appointed overseer of Public Works, and as Mr. Mayor this day reported that said Taylor behaved to him with great disrespect, ordered, he be discharged.

That John, only son of Ald. Bennett, *dec.*, and John Minchin, Esq., cousin-german to the Mayor, be admitted freemen at large.

That the fish be immediately removed to the New Fish Market, and that the standings with Fowl and Eggs be removed to the present Fish Market; that the standings in the street, of Frize, Flannell, Bandle-cloth, Gartering, Hardware, Stockings, &c., as incommode the streets, be removed to the New Market near the Guard-house, and that Mr. Mayor set the standings in said Markets (except the Fish Market) to the best advantage, by the week.

Whereas the Petty dues received by the Corporation for pitching or standing in the street hath been a pretence for crowding the street with standings, to the great inconvenience of the public passage; and whereas Markets have been erected by the Corporation for articles formerly sold in the street; ordered, that no standings be suffered in the Public Street, or on the Bridges, and that the Pitching pence for standings in the street shall not from henceforth be collected until further order to the contrary.

That £3 be allowed Mr. Wm. Johnson out of the rent of the house he took from the Corporation, near the Guard-house, said Johnson not having possession of said house pursuant to the time mentioned in his lease.

That 1000 copies of the oath of a Freeman be immediately printed and distributed to the Freemen.

That £12 be paid Messrs. Wm. Snowe and John Terry, Coroners, for 12 inquests.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldn. Farren, Millerd, Crone, Reily; Mr. Rickotts, C. S., (aftds.) Ald. Westropp, Harding, Busteed.

19 *Dec.*, 1758.

That £6 2*s.* 10*d.* be paid Ald. Reily for prosecuting Alex. English for a breach of his recognizance, taken before Ald. Reily, for keeping the peace in this City.

That Francis Carleton, Esq., Receiver of the rents of Bretridge's Alms House, pay the Trustees of the Green Coat Hospital £50, two year's surplus to 29 Sept. of the rents of said Alms-house, after providing for the old men, said surplus being granted by the will of Capt. Bretridge, for the use of said Hospital, and that the receiver of said rents do for the future pay over annually said surplus to said Trustees.

Whereas Mr. Mayor directed an order to the Commanding officer of the Fort near Cove to give a detachment of soldiers to aid the civil officer in arresting some persons in the town of Cove charged with felony, which order was delivered to Capt. Robt. Jephson, commanding said Fort, who refused to obey it, and in a very contumelious manner declared he would wipe his britch with twenty such orders; ordered, that a Memorial be laid before the Government, complaining of the misbehaviour of said Capt. Jephson.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Aldn. Atkins, Jackson, Farren, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Crone, Wrixon, Westropp, and Busteed.

23 *Jan.*, 1759.

The Mayor was obliged to break up for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks and Collis; Aldn. Farren, Jackson Fuller, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, and Reily.

30 *Jan.*, 1759.

Whereas Rich^d^. Burke, carpenter, hath made an affidavit against the Mayor in the Court of King's Bench, for committing said Burke for quarterage, ordered that the suit be defended at the expense of the Corporation.

That £13 13*s.* 5*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes for clothes for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter.

That Abraham, eldest son of Jonas Devonshire, Merch^t^., *dec.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

That £62 2*s.* 2*d.* be paid Mr. W^m^. Snowe, Not. Pub., for business done by him from 29 Oct., 1757, to 20 Jan., 1759.

That William, eldest son of Christ^r^. Forward, Esq., *dec.*; William Wilcocks, merch^t^., having served David Bruce; Charles Williams, gent.; Francis Wood, clothier, having served his father, Thos. Wood, be admitted freemen at large.

That a recommendation of the Rev^d^. Mich^l^. Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, be presented to the Bishop of Corke in the name of the Council, and that Mr. Mayor, the two Sheriffs, Ald. Fuller and Reily, do wait on his Lordship with the said recommendation.

That the Charters of Queen Eliz., King James I., Charles I., and King George II. be copied fair in a large book, and a translation into English of each Charter be entered in said book, to be kept in the Town Clerk's office, for the use of the Council, and that the Dep. Clerk of the Council do prepare same.

That £17 17*s.* 1*d.* be paid W^m^. Fitton, brazier, for making a new and repairing an old Fire Engine, &c.

Upon reading a copy of an affidavit made by Ald. Millerd in the suit depending against him, Stephen Hopkins and John Skeyes in the Exchequer, for recovery of the ballance due from said Hopkins to the Corporation as late chamberlain, the Council are of opinion that said affidavit is highly injurious to the members of this board, and that every member thereof should join in making an affidavit to clear themselves from the unjust charge of partiality and misconduct made against them by Ald. Millerd, and as the Dep. Clerk of the Council is well acquainted with the Corporation Books and Constitution of the Body Politick, it is desired by this

Board that he make an affidavit of the several matters in his knowledge relative to this affair.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Farren, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Sʳ. John Freke, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, and Mr. Rickotts, C. S.

5 *Feb.*, 1759.

That Ebenezer Sargeant be appointed overseer of the Public Works of this City, at a Salary of £20 a year, and that instructions in writing be given him.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Jackson, Farren, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Freke, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, and Mr. Rickotts, C. S.

Copy of an order from the Lords Justices Gen. and Gen. Governors of Ireland, to the Commanding Officer of His Maj. Forces at Cove.

By the Lords Justices, &c., George Armagh, Shannon.

We do hereby direct and require you, upon application made to you by the Mayor of Corke, or any of his Majʸˢ. Justices of the Peace in the said City or neighbourhood thereof, to be aiding and assisting to them, or any of them, in the execution of their offices as Justices of the Peace, and for so doing this shall be your Warrant. Given at his Maj. Castle of Dublin, the 27 day January, 1759. By their Excellencies' Command.

Thoˢ. Waite.

To the Commanding Officer of His Majʸˢ. Forces at Cove.

13 *Feb.*, 1759.

Whereas His Majʸˢ. Court of King's Bench hath thought proper to attach the Mayor upon the Complaint of John Meskell, for committing him to the Marshalsea for Quarteridge, and a special warrant was granted by the tipstafs of said Court to one Richᵈ. Burke and Danˡ. Donovan, also two of said Quarterers, and who also had Complaints in said Court against the Mayor, and whereas said Burke yesterday publickly arrested the Mayor, and behaved with great disrespect; ordered, that a memorial be forthwith prepared in the names of the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Commonalty of this City setting forth the

grievances the Corporation hath received by the determination of the Court of King's Bench, and the infringements of the ancient priviledges and customs of this City, and praying their Excellencies' favour to grant a writ of *nolle prosequi* in these complaints.

That £61 9*s.* 4*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., for his bill of costs from Aug., 1758, to 12 Feb. last.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, and Philpott.

15 *Feb.*, 1769.

The Mayor, for want of a sufficient number, could not proceed.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks and Collis; Ald^en^. Farren, Westropp, Busteed, Crone, Reily, Harding, and Philpott.

16 *Feb.*, 1759.

That the Right Hon. Richard Rigby, Esq., Sec. to his Grace the Lord Lieut. be presented with his Freedom in a Silver box, and that Mr. Hoare enclose the certificate to Ald. Bradshaw, in London, to get a handsome Silver box made, with the City arms engraved thereon.

Whereas Mr. Mayor is obliged to go to Dublin on an attachment issued against him by the King's Bench, ordered that his expenses be paid, and the Dep. Clk. of the Council attend him.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Jackson, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Philpott, and Rickotts, C. S.

20 *March*, 1759.

Whereas a suit hath been brought in the Chancery side of His Maj. Court of Exchequer, in the name of Right Rev^d^. Edwd., Lord Bp. of Elphin, Rt. Hon. Henry, Earl of Shannon, and George Conner, Esq., against the Mayor, &c., of the City of Cork and George Townsend, touching the right of fishing for oysters in the river of Corke, ordered, that defence be taken by Mr. Hoare at the expense of the Corporation.

That £34 8*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, his expense in going to Dublin on the complaint of the Popish tradesmen for committing them for Quarteridge, also 24 guineas to Mr. Snowe for his trouble in attending the Mayor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Farren, Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpotts, and Mr. Rickotts, C. S.

11 *April*, 1759.

That John Hely Hutchinson, Esq., one of His Maj. Council, be admitted a freeman at large.

That £1 13*s*. 2*d*. be paid Richᵈ. Harrison, sadler, for leather work supplied for the City Engine; also 19*s*. 3*d*. to Francis Evans, 'Change Porter, for faggots, sand, and brooms, &c.

That John, eldest son of Danˡ. Crone, gent., *dec.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Farren, Newman, Parker, Westropp, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, and Mr. C. S.

26 *April*, 1759.

The Mayor, for want of a sufficient number, could not proceed.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Crone, Reily, Philpott, and Rickotts, C. S.

27 *April*, 1759.

That £40 2*s*. 3*d*. be paid Mr. Mayor towards the Expenses attending the prosecution of Henry Meskell; also £39 19*s*. 10*d*. to Mr. Bickford Heard, attʸ., costs defending Ald. Philpott in the King's Bench, and other law business; also £11 18*s*. 9*d*. to Mr. Walter Palliser for Newspapers and Votes supplied to 5 July last; also £54 8*s*. 10½*d*. to the Trustees of S. Stephen's Hospital on account of the loan of £920 formerly borrowed for building Skiddy's and Bretridge's Hospitals; also £1 14*s*. 1½*d*. to Michæl Exham, shoemaker, for lodgings provided for the officers of the Corn Market Guard House during the Mayoralty of Ald. Philpott.

That John, eldest son of Ald. Harding; John, having served his father, John Shadwell, merchᵗ.; George, eldest son of Mathias Smith, gent., *dec.*; John, eldest son of Ald. Newman; Henry White, merchᵗ., having served Richard Pike, merchᵗ., be admitted freemen at large.

That £9 12*s*. be paid Ald. Bradshaw, the expense of a Silver box for Mr. Sec. Rigby.

That the suit in Equity commenced against the Rev. Mr. Orpen and his wife, for recovery of the money due to the Blue Coat Hospital from James Browne, *dec.*, be referred to two lawyers, and if they cannot agree, to a third as an umpire.

That Capt. Williamson, of His Maj. Ship Defiance, now in Corke Harbour, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That the Mayor buy 100 Barrels of Coal for the use of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Aldcn. Jackson, Farren, Newman, Westropp, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Philpott, and Rickotts, C. S.

30 *May*, 1759.

That Mr. Mayor provide an Entertainment next Monday Evening at the Council Chamber to celebrate the Prince of Wales' Birth day on his arrival at the age of 21 years.

That £10 be paid John Newenham, gent., Clerk to the Mayor, for good services done by him for this Corporation; also £15 10*s.* 4*d.* to Mr. Mayor, costs to the tipstafs being taken on the attachment of the Court of King's Bench: also £95 18*s.* 2*d.* to Mr. Wm. Bull, attorney, for law business done from Michas., 1758, to 23 March last; also £31 17*s.* 1*d.* to Mr. Nicholas Wrixon, atty., for law business, from Mich., 1757, to Hillary, 1759.

That the Fringes (Franchises?) of the City be rid this year pursuant to ancient Custom, and for the future the same shall be regularly rid every third year.

That Mr. Mayor do provide an Entertainment at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug. next, and that the Mayor and the other proper officers of the Corporation do go in their boats to the Harbour's mouth and other parts of the channel and river to exert their ancient rights to the government thereof, and that the Mayor and other officers do land at convenient places in the said harbour and proceed to high water mark in evidence of the right of jurisdiction granted by Charter to the Corporation in all Creeks and Strands within the Harbour as far as high water mark.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Aldcn. Jackson, Farren, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, and Philpott.

4 *July*, 1759.

This day Mr. John Shadwell, Jun., took the Common Speaker's oath of Secrecy.

That £7 be paid the Rev^d. Mich^l. Tisdal, for fitting up a proper place in the City gaol for the performance of Divine Service, and providing forms to sit on.

Whereas it is found expedient forthwith to array the Militia of this City, ordered, that the expenses of providing Powder, Ball, Flints, &c., be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

Present — Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Atkins, Farren, Jackson, Fuller, Newman, Westropp, Crone, Reily, Philpott, and J. Shadwell, C. S.

1 *Aug.*, 1759.

That the Right Hon. Edwd. Willis, Lord Chief Baron of His Maj. Court of Exchequer, and the Hon. W^m. Scott, one of the Justices of the King's Bench for the Munster Circuit, and Councillor French, M.P. for co. Galway, be presented with their freedoms at large in Silver boxes.

That a Memorial be sent to the Government, to have a proper Guard mounted in this City, for the protection of the King's Peace.

This day Mr. Mayor Elect took the oath of Secrecy.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Ald^en. Jackson, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Hodder, Farren, and Crone.

28 *Aug.*, 1759.

That the Gateage, Tolls, Waterbailiff's employment, Fish Market dues, Corn Market dues, and North and South Milk Market dues, be set by public cant to the highest bidder.

That £47 16*s.* 6*d.* be paid W^m. Busteed, Esq., Waterbailiff, for anchorage and ballast money not received by him from several Transports and Colliers who anchored in the Harbour of Cork, from Mich^s., 1755, to present time, and who refused to pay him for their anchoring and ballast; also £14 5*s.* to Andrew Dalton, for Carpenter's work; also £12 16*s.* to Mr. John Smith, for Ale for the use of the Army, by order of Mr. Mayor, from Nov., 1758, to June, 1759.

That Mr. W^m. Fitton, brewer, be admitted a freeman at large of this City.

That £3 12*s.* 7½*d.* be paid Ebenezer Sargeant, for making good the

damage done Counc. Bruce's houses adjoining the market near the Main Guard.

That the North and South Bridges, the North and South Milk Markets, the Meat Shambles, the Meat Shambles out of South Gate, the Old Fish Market be forthwith put in repair, and the butment of Daunt's Bridge, and that Ald. Harding and Mr. Shadwell, C. S., be overseers of repairing North Bridge and North Milk Market and Shambles, and that Ald. Westropp and Busteed be overseers of the repairing the South Bridge and South Milk Market and Meat Shambles, and the Mayor Elect, and Ald. Wrixon overseers for repairing Daunt's Bridge and the Old Fish Market.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks, Mayor Elect; Ald^en^. Atkins, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, and Mr. Shadwell, C. S.

8 *Sep.*, 1759.

That the duties of the Frize Market near the Exchange, the South and North Shambles, Fowl, Egg, Root and Several Potatoe Markets be let separately to the highest bidder, on 24 Sept., the persons taking said Duties to pass quarterly Bonds with proper Security for payment of said duties.

That the Root Market be immediately repaired, and that Mr. Mayor oversee the work.

That Ald^en^. Westropp, Wrixon, and Harding be a committee to examine the accounts of Ald. Lavit, *dec.*, and report what is due, if any, to the executors of said Lavit.

That £18 3*s.* 0½*d.* for the entertainment at Blackrock Castle, last Aug.; £10 12*s.* 11½*d.* for *do.* on the Prince of Wales' birth-day; £11 10*s.* 3*d.* for *do.* on the Victory gained by Prince Ferdinand over the French, making in all £40 6*s.* 3*d.*, be paid to the Mayor.

That a Clerk to attend the Divine Service in the City Gaol, and malefactors to execution, be paid 40*s.* a year.

That £3 10*s.* be paid W^m^. Callaghan, half-year's rent of the Officers' Guard Room, ending 25 March last; also £15 to the Coroners of this City, for 15 inquests by them held from 7 Nov., 1758, to 7 Sep., 1759;

also £4 5*s.* 11*d.* to Phineas and George Bagnell, for printing-work done during the Mayoralty of Ald. Philpotts.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Parks; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Wrixon, Crone, Reily, Harding; Mr. Shadwell, C. S. (aftʷᵈˢ.) Ald. Philpott.

21 *Sep.*, 1759.

The Mayor was obliged to break up for want of a sufficient number.—Robᵗ. Hoare, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Farren, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Reily, and Philpott.

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John Swete, Esq., Mayor.

22 *Sep.*, 1759.

ORDERED, that £39 18*s.* 9*d.* be paid the Exec^rs^. of Ald. Lavit, in full for all accounts due from the Corporation.

That £73 7*s.* 8*d.* be paid the trustees of S. Stephen's Hospital, to enable them to pay a debt of £66 14*s.* 7*d.* due to the Execut^rs^. of Ald. Lavit for timber for said Hospital; also £6 13*s.* 1*d.* to Thos. Otway, nailer, for ironwork for said Hospital, said sums of £73 7*s.* 8*d.* to be accounted for on the loan of £920 formerly borrowed by the Corporation from said Trustees for building Skiddie's and Bretridge's Hospitals.

That £92 be paid Ald^en^. Bradshaw, Farren, Harding, Mr. John Shadwell, C. S., and Rev^d^. Mich^l^. Tisdal for repairing the Steeple of S. Ann's, Shandon, in the par. of S. Mary, Shandon, and that they provide four flagstaffs with proper Flags or Ensigns, two decorated with the City Arms, and two with the arms of Ireland, to be hoisted on the Church on rejoicing days; £2 6*s.* to W^m^. Callaghan, an allowance of six week's rent of the house he holds under the Corporation, said house taking six weeks to be finished after the commencement of his lease; also £41 16*s.* 11*d.* to Robt. Hoare, Esq., law expenses; also £7 13*s.* 6*d.* to Timothy Hughes, for ironwork, &c.; also £113 18*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Mayor, to pay the costs taxed by the Court of King's Bench against him on the complaints of several Journeymen Joyners; also £13 18*s.* 6½*d.* to Mr. Walter Palliser, for Newspapers and votes of the H. C. supplied the Corporation to 5 July last.

That Ald. Busteed buy twelve new Coal Barrels and have the old ones repaired.

Also £46 5*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. W^m^. Bull, law expenses; also £1 14*s.* 7½*d.* to Mr. Sheriff Parks, expenses in pulling down a nuisance in Paul Street; also £2 18*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Mayor, so much paid by him for two dredges and

boat hire to fish for Oysters in the river Lee in exertion [*sic*] of the City rights; also £5 13*s.* 9*d.* to Rev^{d}. Mich^{l}. Tisdal for five occasional Sermons; also 6*s.* 0½*d.* to Eben. Sargent, expenses in pulling down a nuisance erected on the Town Walls.

That Paul Benson, merchant; Edwd. Scott, clothier; Rich^{d}. Pope, having served John Allin, clothier, and Norris Ballard, clothier, eldest son of Alcock Ballard, mercht., be admitted free at large.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Ald^{en}. Farren, Fuller, Bradshaw, Crone, Westropp, Winthrop, Reily, Harding, Philpot, and Mr. Shadwell, C. S.

27 *Sep.*, 1759.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Robt. Hoare, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Ald^{en}. Farren, Jackson, Crone, Reily, Harding.

28 *Sep.*, 1759.

This day Ald^{en}. Westropp, Wrixon, Reily, Robt. Travers, Esq., and Mr. Izod, appointed for settling the publick accounts, examined Mr. Francis Carleton's acc^{ts}. as Chamberlain to 29 Sep. last, and find a balance of £1514 0*s.* 0¾*d.* due from said Carleton to the Corporation.

Ordered, that £5 5*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, expenses of an entertainment given at the Exchange to celebrate the glorious Victories of Admiral Boscawen, Genl. Amherst and Sir W^{m}. Johnson over the French; also £8 17*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Mayor, the expenses of riding the fringes.

That £40 a-year, from 29 Sep. inst., be paid the guardians of Edwd. Roche, Esq., during his minority, for that part of the ground on which part of the Exchange is built, and which the Corporation formerly took from the ancestors of said Edward, and that a lease be taken from the guardians during said minority.

That Mr. Hoare, agent, take proper defence to a bill in Chancery filed by the Earl of Shannon, the Bishop of Elphin, and George Connor, Esq., against the Mayor, Sher., and Commonalty, touching the rights of the fishing of the river of Corke.

That Jonas Travers, gent.; David Roche, Esq.; Thomas Whiting, merch.,

having served Benj. Whiting, mercht.; Thomas Ryal, having served Thomas Williams, butcher; Thomas Chute, merch^t., having served Ald. Harding; W^m. Skeyes, Jun., merch^t., having served his father, William Skeyes, and W^m. Beamish, gent., Captain of the Patty and Jenny, tender in H. M. S., be admitted free at large.

That £10 a-year be paid Nich. Fitton, to keep the City fire engines in good repair, to play them once a month, and attend all accidental fires, to work the engines, and give a bond of £50 penalty for due performance of these conditions.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Parks; Ald^en. Jackson, Farren, Westropp, Crone, Reily, Philpott; Mr. Shadwell, C. S., Ald. Wrixon and Harding.

Phineas Bury, Esq., Mayor.

16 *Oct.*, 1759.

This day Mr. Mayor, and also the Sheriffs, took the oath as Council men.

That a door be put to the Corporation Slip under the Exchange, to prevent dirt being thrown into it.

That the Meat Shambles near the Exchange be repaired, and that Ald. Wrixon and Busteed oversee same.

That an advertisement be published in Bagnall's News Paper, that the City accounts have been settled to 29 Sep., 1758, and that they remain in the Town Clerk's office for the inspection of the Freemen.

Whereas by order of Council, 29 July, 1736, £100 was ordered to be paid for repairing North Strand, and said repairs were neglected till lately, when Ald. Bradshaw, Robt. Rogers of Lota, Esq., and Francis Carleton undertook same, and by subscription greatly advanced said repairs; ordered, that £100 be paid said Bradshaw, Rogers, and Carleton in aid thereof.

That £4 0*s.* 3½*d.* be paid Francis Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, sand, &c.

That a suit be carried on in His Maj^ys. Court of Excheq. to try the right of recovering quarterage, and that Mr. Hoare take care thereof.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin and Conner; Ald^en. Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Tayler, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, and Reily.

21 *Nov.*, 1759.

That £6 12*s.* be paid Mr. Mayor, expenses of an entertainment at the Exchange, on account of the taking of Quebec; and 18*s.* for the ringers of Shandon Bells on the day of rejoicing for same.

Also £8 14*s.* 11½*d.* to Andrew Dalton, carpenter, expenses of fitting up a Pulpit, stools, and desk in North Gaol.

Also £1 14*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. Francis Penrose, for timber for the repairs of Blackrock Castle.

That Mr. Mayor repair the Coal-hole, and the place where the Corporation tools are kept under the City Court-house, and also erect a pair of stairs to the Armory in the Market-house.

That the Chamberlain allow Wm. Callaghan the rent of the Officers' Guard-room out of the rent he pays the Corporation.

That Thomas Burroughs, Esq., Counc. at Law, be admitted free at large, and Benj. Burton, Esq., one of the Com. of H. M. Revenue, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That Joseph Bennet, Esq., Recorder of this City, be paid a yearly salary of £60, instead of £26, as formerly.

That £5 a-year be paid to Francis Adams, an ancient freeman and bellman of this City, being grown infirm.

That £4 be paid to Mr. St. Laurence Bowden, clerk to the Collector of the Port of Cork, for supplying two years' lists of shipping inwards.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Franklyn; Aldn. Atkins, Jackson, Farren, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Smith, Reily, Harding, Wrixon; Mr. Shadwell, C. S., Ald. Newman and Parker.

27 *Nov.*, 1759.

That Mr. Hoare get a memorial drawn to the H. C., setting forth that the act of Parliament made last sessions in Great Britain for the exportation of live cattle from this kingdom is highly injurious to the trade thereof, and praying such resolution thereon as to them shall seem most proper, same to be sent to John Hely Hutchinson, Esq., to be by him presented to the House, and that Mr. Hoare do in the name of the Corporation write to Emanl. Pigott and Tho. Newenham, Esqrs., members for this City, and to Sr. John Freke, Bart., Sr. Henry Cavendish, Bart., Sir Richd. Cox, Bart.,

Sr. Robt. Deane, Bart., Philip Oliver, Esq., and Councillor French, members of the H. C. and Freemen of this City, to support the said memorial.

Resolved, that it is the opinion of this Board that it would be of use to the S. E. liberties and suburbs of this City, and to the inhabitants of Dunscombe's Marsh, that a lifting wooden bridge be erected over the Channel between Princes Street and Lavit's Island, and a street opened thence of 26 feet wide in a line to the other Channel between said Island and the Red Abbey quay, and that a Stone bridge with five arches be erected over the other channel, in the centre arch of which stone bridge a lifting wooden passage be made, so that in each channel there may be full room and navigation for ships and boats to pass and repass through said bridges, and we are of opinion that by erecting said bridges a short passage would be opened to the Corn Market of this City for corn coming from the S. E. parts of the City and County to the great easement of the narrow passage of South Bridge on Market days, and we consent to the erecting of said bridges, provided the persons undertaking the same do erect the Bridges at their own expense, and give security that they be kept in constant repair without any charge on the Corporation in particular or City in general. It is the opinion of this Board that Tuckey's Lane, in the S. E. quarter of this City, is a passage for carriages with merchants' goods, and for carriages and horses coming with goods to this City from the country, that the passage through said lane is so narrow at present that the lives of H. M. subjects are endangered, and that it would be advantageous to the trade of this City to have said passage widened by pulling down the houses adjoining said lane on the N. side, from the main street to Tuckey's quay, and whereas Timothy Tuckey, Esq., Doctor of Physic, and others interested in said houses, have refused a reasonable compensation, Resolved, that Mr. Hoare prepare a petition to Parliament to bring in a bill for ascertaining such compensation, and that said Tuckey and others interested be served with notice of said intended application.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin and Connor; Alden. Atkins, Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Harding, Philpott, Farren, Fuller, and Reily.

16 *Dec.*, 1759.

That the Corporation Gallery in Christ Church be removed to the North

side of the church opposite the Pulpit, and that an organ be provided at the expense of the Corporation, not exceeding in value £400, to be put up where the Corporation Gallery now is. That the seat next Mrs. Maylor's be fitted up for Ald. Busteed, who gives up his present accommodation to the Corporation, and that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Wrixon, Busteed and Dean Goldsmith be a Committee for altering said Galleries and putting up the Organ.

That 18*s.* be paid Mr. Mayor for the ringers of Shandon Bells, the day that Admiral Hawk's victory over the French fleet was celebrated in this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Parker, and Farren.

17 *Dec.*, 1759.

That a Petition to the H. C., in the name of the Mayor, &c., praying that the weighmaster's employment for weighing butter, tallow, hides, &c., be granted to the Corporation at the expiration of the present Act of Parliament, and that the profits, &c., after payment of the deputies' salary, &c., be applied for the support of the workhouse of said City, that the petition be sent to our members and such members as are freemen of this City.

That the Freedom of this City be presented in a Gold box to the Right Hon. William Pitt, Esq., one of H. M. Principal Secretaries of State, in testimony of the just and deep sense we have of his wise, good, and faithful services to his king and country.

That £4 3*s.* 1*d.* be paid Thomas Clements, mason, for work done by him for the Corporation; also £8 11*s.* 7*d.* to Robt. Wrixon, Esq., for tables and scales; also £15 0*s.* 4½*d.* to Isaac Bussy for candles.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Winthrop, and Shadwell, C. S.

2 *Jan.*, 1760.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council. Present—Mr. Mayor Sher. Francklin, Ald. Owgan, and Crone.

5 *Jan.*, 1760.

Ordered, that an application be made to Parliament that the Grand Jury at each Assizes shall have power to present 24 persons as applotters, and

that the public money appointed to be raised at said Assizes shall by them, or any seven of them, be applotted on the several houses and lands in this City, suburbs, and liberties, and that said applotters shall, under a penalty, be compelled to take an oath before the Mayor impartially to make such applotment, and they shall meet and applot such public money in three months from the first day of each Assizes, and that a warrant signed by seven of them shall be sufficient to the constables to destrain for same, &c.

That an application be made to Parliament that all straw exposed for sale in this City and suburbs shall be made up in bundles of seven pounds weight, under a penalty of forfeiture of said straw.

That Mr. Hoare give instructions to our representatives to apply for a renewal of the Lamp Act, and that an amendment be made that no applotment or any house shall exceed twelve shillings, nor be less than one shilling, and that no lamp be at a greater distance than 22 yards from the next lamp on the same side of the street; and in lanes, courts, alleys, &c., no lamp shall be at a greater distance than 33 yards from next lamp on same side, and that the parish of S. Finbarry's and suburbs be under same regulation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Philpott, and Mr. Shadwell, C. S.

9 Jan., 1760, no business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Crone, Westropp, Philpott, and Harding.

11 *Jan.*, 1760.

That £10 13*s.* 1*d.* be paid Mary Harrison, for printing work done in the Mayoralty of Ald. Philpot and Swete; also £11 13*s.* to Kean Mahony, Vintner, for an entertainment at the Exchange, to celebrate the glorious victory of Admiral Hawke over the French fleet.

That Admiral Hawke be presented with his freedom in a Gold box for his great services in defeating the French fleet commanded by Mons. Coulans, whereby this City was saved from an attack of a large body of French forces.

That Edmond Sexton Pery, Esq., M.P., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That £11 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor to punish foreign beggars, that in great numbers infest this City.

That Mr. Mayor sign a receipt for £72 English, due from the Vintners' Company of London to Skiddie's Alms house 29 Sep. last, and that Mr. Mayor give the receipt to Francis Carleton, Esq., agent for said Alms house.

That Francis Carleton, Esq., apply to the Exec^rs. of Rich^d. Taylor, Esq., *dec.*, for £40, being eight years' rent of the houses opposite the Corn Market, due to said Alms house 29 Sep. last.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alde^n. Jackson, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon; Mr. Shadwell, C. S.; Ald. Reily, Winthrop, and Busteed.

15 Jan., 1760, no business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Clk. of Council. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Connor, Ald. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Reily, Harding, Philpott, and Mr. Shadwell, C. S.

16 *Jan.*, 1760.

The Council having come to an agreement with Doctor Tuckey for the ground on which thirteen houses are built on the north side of Tuckey's lane, beginning at the main street and ending at the East side of Timothy Fitzgerald's house in said lane, and ranging close to the north wall belonging to said Tuckey, and which North Wall adjoins Gillman's lane and is to remain the property of said Tuckey and his heirs, and that said Tuckey shall at his own expense pull down said houses and remove the rubbish on or before 1st. Nov., 1761, and that the Corporation is to pay said Tuckey £1,000 for said ground in manner following, to wit, £500 on the execution of proper deeds of conveyance, the other £500 in six months afterwards, interest free.

That the bell in the City Court House, which is cracked, be taken down and exchanged with Nicholas Fitton, founder, for a new bell, allowing said Fitton six pence in the pound profit on the exchange.

That £100 be paid Thos. Newenham, Esq., as soon as an Equestrian statue of His Majesty shall be erected in this City, pursuant to a plan laid before the Council, provided same be erected in a place to be appointed by the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Reily, Philpott, and Mr. Shadwell, C. S.

7 *March*, 1760.

Ordered, that Alden. Westropp, Harding, Busteed, and Swete, and such as the C. D. H. shall appoint, be a Committee for settling public accounts to 29 Sep. last.

Whereas the Committee appointed by the Council and C. D. H. for erecting an organ in Christ Church have agreed with Ferdinand Webber, of the City of Dublin, organ builder, for erecting a complete organ for £482 15*s.*, ordered, that said sum be paid to enable the Committee to fulfil their agreement.

That Michæl Roberts Westropp, merch^t., having served his father, Ald. Westropp, be admitted free at large; also that Captains Elliot, Clements, and Logie, of H. M. Frigates the Eolus, Pallas, and Brilliant, be presented with their Freedoms in Silver boxes, for their gallant behaviour in pursuing, attacking, and defeating the French squadron commanded by M. Thurot, who had the rashness to land some troops at Carrigfergus, and ravage part of the country.

That £5 5*s.* be paid Simon Curtain for repairing the City Clock; also £55 5*s.* 5½*d.* to Robert Hoare, Esq., his bill of costs; also £63 18*s.* 7*d.* to Wm. Snowe, Not. Pub., for law business from 1 Feb., 1759, to 8 Feb., 1760.

That John Bury, Esq., brother to the Mayor; Richard Garde, merch^t., having served Joseph and John Deyos; Saml. Rowland, merch^t., having served his father, Richard Rowland; James Guitton, chandler, having served Isaac Bussy; Fenton Addis, Esq., Council-at-Law; and Twogood French, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, be admitted freemen at large.

That £12 11*s.* 7*d.* be paid for repairing the root market, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Alden. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Philpott, Swete, and Harding.

21 *April*, 1760.

That 20*s.* 3*d.* be paid Francis Evans, Change Porter, for brooms, &c.; also £86 9*s.* 11*d.* to Mr. Nichs. Wrixon, attorney, his bill of costs for reducing several fines imposed on several former Sheriffs of this City in the Exchequer, for not paying into said Court divers sums of money that they

charged themselves with in their accounts, and which sums are granted to the Corporation of Corke by the King's most gracious charter; also £84 4s. 5*d.* to said Wrixon for law business; also £24 8s. 4½*d.* to Mr. Bull, attorney, his bill of costs; also £4 5s. to Mess. Sterling and Alcock, clerks of the House of Commons of Ireland, their fees on the renewal of the Lamp Act of this City.

That the Charter of King Char. I., whereby all fines and forfeitures are granted to the Corporation, be pleaded in the Court of Exchequer, and the Chief Baron's fees thereon paid, in order to have same allowed, that the Sheriffs of this City for the future may not be troubled by the officers of said court in the passing their accounts.

That £2 14s. 4½*d.* be paid Robt. Newenham, Esq., paid by him for the Corporation when Sheriff.

That James Molesworth, Esq., Lieut. of the garrison of Cork, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That Mr. Hoare apply to the representatives of Mr. Daniel Thresher, *dec.*, for a legacy of £250 by him bequeathed to the Mayor, &c., upon trust to purchase lands to pay a clergyman for preaching an occasional sermon the first Sunday in every month in the parish church of S. Mary Shandon.

That Ald. Busteed and Swete be a Committee for repairing Blackrock Castle.

That Mr. George Randals have liberty to extend his quay into the South Channel of the river Lee, leaving said Channel 80 feet wide in the narrowest part, said Randals to have a lease for 999 years at 5 shill. a year.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Jackson, Owgan, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete, and Millerd.

13 *May*, 1760.

This day Ald. Harding, Swete, Mr. Boyle Travers, Mr. John Lapp, Mr. Robt. Lane, and Mr. Richd. Marrett, being a Committee to settle the public accounts, report, that they adjusted the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., Chamberlain, to 29 Sep. last, and there is a ballance of £1643 12s. 10¾*d.* due from said Carleton to the Corporation.

That £10 be paid Mr. John Newenham, Clerk to Mr. Mayor, for several good services done the Corporation.

This day the Mayor, &c., signed a receipt to James Piersey, Esq., surviving

executor of Mr. Danl. Thresher, *dec.*, for £250, legacy of Thresher left to the Mayor, &c., interest for an occasional sermon every month in the parish Church of S. Mary Shandon, or such other church as the Lord Bishop shall appoint.

That £106 4*s.* be paid Ald. Hodder for gold and silversmith's work supplied for the use of the Corporation from 2 Sep., 1758, to 6 May, inst.; also £15 1*s.* 6½*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron work.

That the Exchange slip lately covered be converted into a shop with a trap door to go down to the water, and that same, when finished, be set for one year by public cant, and that three keys be provided to the door of said shop, one for the tenant, the other two to be deposited where the Mayor shall appoint, so that recourse may be had to the water in case of any accidental fire in the neighbourhood of said slip.

That £7 10*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer, expended by him in repairing the Exchange slip, the grate in the main street, the coal-hole door, and the door of the house where the Corporation tools are kept.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Francklin and Connor, Aldᵉⁿ. Wrixon, Philpott, Harding, and Busteed, be a committee to look out for a proper place to build a Mayoralty house, and report.

That £6 16*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Wᵐ. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Crown, his expenses in prosecuting several nuisances last assizes.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Connor; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Taylor, Crone, Wrixon, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Hodder, and Shadwell, C. S.

4 *June*, 1760.

That a pension of £20 a year be paid the widow of Ald. Holmes during her widowhood, and £21 12*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes for clothes supplied the Exchange Porter and Bell man, and a cap for the Swordbearer.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Parker, Taylor, Smith, Wrixon, Crone, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Philpott, and Swete.

14 *July*, 1760.

That £20 be paid Mr. Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle.

That Edmᵈ. Malone, Esq., one of the Justices of Assize for the Munster Circuit, be presented on his arrival with his freedom in a Silver box.

The Recorder having given his opinion that the Quarterage of this City

is recoverable before the Mayor in a summary way, according to the ancient prescription of this City, ordered, that the Mayor, on the first complaint made unto him for Quarterage, proceed to determine same, and that he be supported out of the City revenues.

That £33 13*s.* 3½*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes for cloathing supplied the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital in the time of Ald. Croker being master thereof, said sum to be accounted for on the loan of £920 formerly borrowed by the Corporation from the trustees of said Hospital for building Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms houses.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldcn. Farren, Westropp, Wrixon, Crone, Smith, Busteed, Reily, Hodder, and Swete.

6 *Aug.*, 1760.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Francklin; Aldcn. Harding, Philpott, Reily, Crone.

26 *Aug.*, 1760.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldcn. Westropp, Millerd, Winthrop, Reily, Harding, and Wm. Lane, C. S.

27 *Aug.*, 1760.

Mr. Mayor Elect and Mr. Com. Speaker sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

That £21 7*s.* 2⅓*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, cost of the entertainment at Blackrock 1 Aug.; also £20 16*s.* to Mr. John Smith for ale supplied the army on rejoicing days; also £4 6*s.* 4*d.* to Andrew Dalton for carpenter's work; also £1 9*s.* 6*d.* to Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer; also £92 16*s.* 3½*d.* to Rob. Hoare, Esq., for Law Expenses; also £34 18*s.* 6½*d.* to Mr. Wm. Bull, attorney, for *do.*; also £18 to the Coroners for inquests from 29 Oct. last to 12 Aug. inst.

That the £250 left by Mr. Danl. Thresher for occasional sermons every month in one of the City churches be lent to Mr. John Garratt, chocolate maker, on his executing a mortgage on the premises mentioned in his proposal, and executing his bond to the Mayor, &c.

That the Gateage tolls, Waterbailiff's employment, Fish Market dues,

Corn Market *do.*, North and South Milk Market *do.*, be set by public cant 8 Sep. next.

That His Majestie's Equestrian Statue be erected at the South side of Tuckey's Bridge.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Francklin; Ald^en^. Swete, Harding, Westropp, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

29 *Aug.*, 1760.

That the present Frize Market be converted into a Fowl Market, and the latter into a Butter and Egg Market.

That the petty Customs of the Fowl Market and of the standings from North and South Gate be set by public cant 15 Sep., with this restriction, that no Standings be suffered to be on the North and South Bridges and the Gateways of said bridges, nor from the houses on each side of the main street to the first channel.

That the petty customs of the South Shambles and standings outside South Gate be set in same manner 16 Sep.; also those of the North Shambles and standings out of North Gate on 17 Sep.; *do.* of the Butter and Egg Market on 18 Sep.; and those of the Potatoe and Root Market on 19 Sep.

Whereas several persons, not being Freemen at large of this City, have lately presumed to fish for Herrings in the river Lee without the licence of the Mayor, ordered, that the Waterbailiff and his deputy destrain all nets of such persons.

Ald. Wrixon, Mr. Sher. Francklin and Connor, Ald. Harding and Philpotts, being the majority of the committee appointed to report on a proper place to build a Mayoralty House, and having reported that Ald. Reily hath a convenient lot of ground on Haman's Marsh fit for building a Mayoralty House on, containing 50 feet in front and 100 feet in depth, and that a commodious double coach-house, two cellars, and a large stable are lately built thereon, and that the same is worth the yearly rent of 50 pounds, ordered, that the said lot be taken from Ald. Reily for the term of 700 years at £50 a year from 25 March next.

That an arch be turned and a pedestal be erected on the South side of Tuckey's Bridge for erecting His Majestie's Statue, pursuant to a plan now before the Council, and that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Busteed, Mr. Mayor Elect, with those of the C. D. H., be a Committee for doing said work.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westrop, Millerd, Crone, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Swete, Winthrop, and Abra. Lane, C. S.

12 *Sep.*, 1760.

Several of the inhabitants of this City having petitioned the Council for liberty to build a stone bridge over the South river from Pellican's corner to Sullivan's Quay, as the two Bridges formerly consented to be built by order of Council and C. D. H. over said river could not be built, a passage through Mr. Lavit's Island being denied them, The Council consent to same, provided the bridge be at least the breadth of 20 feet in the clear, and a convenient lifting passage be made in said bridge for the passing and repassing of ships and masted boats, the persons undertaking the building of the Bridge to erect same at their own cost, the Corporation never to be at any expense in the repairs thereof.

Ordered, that Thomas Markham, gent., eldest son of Robt. M., *dec.;* Thomas Woolley, chandler, having served Isaac Bussy; John Downan, junr., merchᵗ., having served Stephen Denroch, merchᵗ.; Charles Denroch, merchᵗ., having served Stephen Denroch and Robᵗ. Lane, merchᵗˢ.; Edward Widdenham, merchᵗ., having served Stephen Denroch; John Widdenham, merchᵗ., having served Maturin Ardowin and Peter Ardowin, merchᵗˢ.; George Beale, merchᵗ., having served Thos. Beale, merchᵗ.; John Wood, clothier, having served Thos. Wood, clothier and Tanner; Richard Dorman, gent.; Wight Pike, merchᵗ., eldest son of Ebenezar Pike, merchᵗ., *dec.*, be presented with their freedom at large of this City; also James Dennis, Esq., one of His Maj. Council, with his freedom in a Silver box.

That £4 10*s.* 1½*d.* be paid Mr. Bickford Heard, Attorney, for law expenses; also £8 to Mr. John Wood, for two years' rent of the Guard House; also £4 16*s.* 6*d.* to said J. Wood, for candles supplied the Guard House, from 25 Mar., 1758, to 25 Mar. last; also 7 guineas to Rev. Michˡ. Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, for occasional Sermons.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Owgan, Westropp, Taylor, Millerd, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Jackson, and Mr. Abrah. Lane, C. S.

26 *Sep.*, 1760.

That £15 6*s.* be paid Messrs. Nichˢ. Foerd and David Bruce, burgesses,

amount of costs of reducing several fines imposed on them in the Exchequer for not paying said Court divers sums that they charged themselves with, which sums are granted to the Corporation by the King's Charter; also £11 to Mr. Silvester Clarke, cooper, for eleven coal barrels; also £22 4*s.* 6*d.* to Robt. Heron, cooper, for twenty-two coal barrels; also £6 16*s.* 0½*d.* to Timothy Hughes, blacksmith, for iron-work for the new coal and salt barrels; also £9 0*s.* 4½*d.* to said Hughes for work done; also £30 to Mr. James Chatterton, one of the Burgesses; also £100, directed by former order of Council and C. D. H. to be paid Tho. Newenham, Esq., when an Equestrian Statue of His Maj. should be erected and delivered up to the Corporation.

Ordered, that the Statue of His Majesty be erected in the centre of Tuckey's Bridge, instead of the South side, and that the Committee enlarge said Bridge for carriages to pass on each side of the Statue.

That £5 be paid the widow of George Townsend, late one of the City officers, being in distress: and £4 4*s.* 4½*d.* to Ald. Swete, cost of new casting the Corporation weights.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin and Connor; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Parker, Westropp, Taylor, Millerd, Smith, Wrixon, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete; Mr. Travers, and Lane, C. S.

Joseph Wetherall, Esq., Mayor.

10 *Oct.*, 1760.

No business for want of sufficient numbers. — Robt. Hoare, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Busteed, Harding, Bury, and Mr. C. S.

11 *Oct.*, 1760.

This day Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs took their oaths as Common Council men.

Whereas His Excellency the Rt. Hon. John Ponsonby, Speaker of the H. C., is expected at Youghal, ordered, that Sher. Owgan, Mr. Late Mayor, and the Town Clerk, in the name of this City, wait on him, and invite him and his company to an entertainment, and that Mr. Mayor, the two

Sheriffs, Mr. late Mayor, Ald. Wrixon and Busteed, do provide said entertainment and invite the company.

That £6 3*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Phineas and George Bagnell for printing-work done in the Mayoralty of Ald. Bury; also £3 5*s.* 2½*d.* to said Phineas and George, for other work during the Mayoralty of Ald. Swete.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Owgan; Alden. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Bury, Busteed, Harding. and Ab. Lane, C. S.

31 Oct., 1760. No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Alden. Jackson, Owgan, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Bury.

6 *Nov.*, 1760.

That a pension of £20 a-year be paid the widow of Ald. Farren, *dec.*, during her widowhood; also £12 18*s.* 4*d.* to Robt. Hoare, Esq., expenses of the deputation to Youghal to invite his Excell. John Ponsonby, Esq., to this City; also £5 to Thomas Winter, formerly one of the officers of this City, who is very old and reduced; also £1 14*s.* 3¾*d.* to Thomas Dyer, glazier, for work done; also £13 13*s.* 2*d.* to Danl. Cullnan, woollen-draper, for cloathing for the 'Change Porter and Bellman; *It.*, £1 0*s.* 10*d.* to Francis Evans, for sand, brooms, faggots, &c.; *It.*, £59 4*s.* 3*d.* to Wm. Snowe, law expenses.

Ordered, that Saml. Bagwell, gent., eldest son of Phineas Bagwell, mercht.; Hugh, eldest son of Hugh Swayne, Esq., *dec.;* Hugh, eldest son John Whiting, gent., *dec.;* Charles Widdenham, mercht., having served Ald. Philpott; Wm. Hyde, chandler, having served John Richardson, *do.;* and Mathew, eldest son of John Plaince, be admitted freemen at large.

That £5 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Wm. Snowe, Dep. Town Clerk, for his trouble in proclaiming His most Sacred Maj. King George III. on 4 Nov. inst.

The Council being informed that Mr. Wood, one of the lawyers for the Corporation in the suit against Stephen Hopkins, the executor of Ald. Millerd, and the reps. of Mr. John Skeys, *dec.*, had declared that the Corporation could not recover against said Hopkins' security, and as it appears that the prosecution against said Hopkins' security would be

attended with great expense, ordered, that the suit now carrying on against the exec^rs. of said Ald. Millerd and the rep^s. of John Skeys, for the recovery of the penalty of the bond entered into by said Millerd and Skeys, as security for Hopkins, be stopt, and they be discharged from all demands.

That an address from this Corporation to His Maj. George III. be prepared, to congratulate him on his accession, and that Mr. Verling do draw the draft of said address, and the Recorder peruse same.

That the Mayor, during office, shall have charge of the streets, and appoint persons to sweep same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en. Jackson, Newman, Taylor, Millerd, Crone, Smith, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Bury, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

13 *Dec.*, 1760.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Owgan; Ald^en. Jackson, Crone, Westropp, Wrixon, Sir J. Freke, Busteed, and Harding.

15 *Dec.*, 1760.

That £14 7*s.* 8*d.* be paid Francis Carleton, Esq., in full of a bill of Exchange drawn by Walter Palliser, *dec.*, on the late Mayor, in favour of Carleton, for newspapers, votes, &c.; *It.*, £1 2*s.* 2½*d.* to Sher. Owgan, for stopping up several holes in Castle Street that rendered same impassible; *It.*, £18 12*s.* 2*d.* to Isaac Bussy, chandler, for candles; *It.*, £20 12*s.* 6*d.* to Danl. Cullnan, woollen-draper, for mourning for hanging the Corporation Galleries in Christ Church, S. Mary, Shandon, S. Paul's, and S. Peter's; *It.*, £22 5*s.* 10*d.* to Ebenezer Sargent, City overseer, for 100 barrels of Coal; *It.*, 100 guineas to Mr. Mayor, Mr. Rich^d. Rowland, Mr. John Shadwell, and Rev. Mr. Geo. Tisdal, for erecting an Organ in the parish church of S. Mary, Shandon; *It.*, £30 to Messrs. Paul Benson and Geo. Piersy, to enable them, with the private subscriptions they have received, to send the wives and children of the soldiers of Handisyde and the Royal (lately embarked from this City on an expedition) to their respective homes.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en. Atkins, Jackson, Crone, Smith, Sir J. Freke, Mr. Ab. Lane, C. S.

26 *Jan.*, 1761.

Ordered, that Mr. Hoare apply by petition to the Lord Chancellor to have the legacy of £1200 left by Moses Deane, Esq., to the Mayor, &c., and the Ministers of the several Parishes, to be laid out in the purchase of an estate for charitable uses, paid by the executor of Sampson Twogood, Esq., who was executor of Moses Deane, that same may be put at interest for the charitable uses the same was left, until a convenient purchase can be had.

That the Mayor shall have power to take out of the Chamberlain's hands, at any time he shall think proper, his whole year's salary, passing his bond that in case he shall die in his Mayoralty his heirs, &c., shall repay a proportionable part of said salary for the time he shall want of living a year in his office.

That £32 5*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Mr. Henry Rugg, expenses of an entertainment provided for the Corporation, 4 Nov. last, being the day his present Majesty was proclaimed.

That Mr. Mayor, the two Sheriffs, and Ald. Bury be a committee to inspect the Meat Shambles, and report a proper plan for enlarging same.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Owgan; Ald^en^. Jackson, Westropp, Wrixon, Smith, Sir J. Freke, Hodder, Reily, Philpott, Bury, Busteed, Owgan, Crone, Harding.

18 *Feb.*, 1761.

Ordered, that Michael Wood, clothier, having served Ab. Lane; Rev^d^. Willm. Collis, Clk., only son of John Collis, merch^t^., *dec.;* Collis Crowe, clothier, having served Ab^m^. Lane, *do.;* John Taylor, clothier, having served W^m^. Parks; Noblet Johnson, cooper, having served Robt. Eason, Sen., cooper; Peter Johnson, merch^t^., having served George Johnson, merch^t^.; Rich^d^. Baxter, butcher, having served Robert Baxter, *do.;* Danl. McNeal, clothier, having served George Newenham, *do.;* Thomas Beades, cordwainer, eldest son of Edward Beades, Barber, *dec.;* Westcombe Wood, merch^t^., having served Thos. Fuller, merch^t^.; William Dibbins, chandler, having served Noblet Johnson, *do.;* Joshua Mayne, clothier, having served Francis Roche, *do.* and Peter Cambridge, *do.;* Richard Henly, clothier, having served Francis Allen, *do.;* John Paul, cooper, having served Robert

Eason, Sen. and Jun.; Samuel Connor, clothier, having served John Connor, *do.*, *dec.*; Peter Baker, goldsmith, having served Ald. Hodder; Roger Langley, merch^{t}., having served Paul Baker, *do.*; Stephen Egan, merch^{t}., having served John Minton, *do.*; Thomas Brenan, cooper, having served Sherly Wills, cooper, *dec.*, and John FzGerald, *do.*; Francis Taylor, silversmith, only son of Francis T., clothier, *dec.*; William, having served his father, William Satterford, butcher, *dec.*; Humphry Harding, merch^{t}., having served Mr. Sher. Harding; William Martin, cordwainer, eldest son of W^{m}. Martin, silversmith, *dec.*; George Mitchell, clothier, having served Caleb. Connor, *do.*, *dec.*, be admitted Freemen at large of the City of Cork.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Jackson, Newman, Fuller, Millerd, Westropp, Smith, Wrixon, Crone, Sir J. Freke, Hodder, Harding, Bury, Reily, Swete, Busteed; Mr. Lane, C. S., and the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

19 *Feb.*, 1761.

Ordered, that the Committee for erecting his late Maj. statue do provide cast iron rails and the Cork Arms in cast iron.

That John Ward, clothier, having served Robt. Pellican, *do.*, *dec.*; John Allinet, tanner, eldest son of Moses Allinet, merch^{t}., *dec.*; W^{m}. Love, Esq., eldest son of John Love, Esq., *dec.*; John Newenham, Esq., eldest son of Rich^{d}. Newenham, clothier, *dec.*; Attiwell Hayes, merch^{t}., having served Francis Hodder, *do.*; Saml., having served his father, Thos. Price, merch^{t}.; John Daly, merch^{t}., having served Francis Hodder, *do.*; John Waddington, apothecary, eldest son of Thos. W., *do.*, *dec.*; John Dixon, clothier, having served John Allen, *do.*, *dec.*; James S^{t}. John Jeffryes, Esq., eldest son of Hon. James Jeffryes, Esq., late Governor of Cork; William Croker, chandler, having served Robert Raymond and James Bennett; Saml. Brookes, cooper, having served Paul Maylor, *do.*, *dec.*; James, eldest son of Thos. Alleyn, gent., *dec.*; Daniel, eldest son of Saml. Morris, gent., *dec.*; Simeon, eldest son of Simeon Marshall, Esq., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large of the City of Cork.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^{en}. Atkins, Jackson, Newman, Fuller, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Sir J. Freke, Hodder, Reily, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Harding, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

20 *Feb.*, 1761.

Ordered, that £12 be paid Mr. Mayor, Mr. Burgess Browne, and Rev^d. Mich^l. Tisdal for repairing and painting the Corporation Gallery in S. Mary Shandon.

That Saml. Bayly, mercht., having served Francis Hodder, *do.;* Saml. Morgan, clothier, having served John Connor, *do., dec.;* Robt., eldest son of Robt. Warren, Esq., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

That Ald. Busteed provide six new salt barrels.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en. Atkins, Jackson, Newman, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Smith, Busteed, Sir J. Freke, Hodder, Harding Bury, and Crone.

7 March, 1761, no business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

9 *March*, 1761.

Ordered, that the Right Hon. Warden Flood, Chief Justice of his Maj. Court of Queen's Bench, and one of the Justices of the Munster Circuit, be presented by the Town Clerk with his freedom in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en. Atkins, Jackson, Westropp, Owgan, Wrixon, Crone, S^r. John Freke, Hodder, Bury, and Ab. Lane, C. S.

1 April, 1761—No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en. Fuller, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, S^r. John Freke, Harding, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

3 *April*, 1761.

Ordered, that £44 4*s.* 4*d.* be paid Mr. Nich. Wrixon, attorney, his bill of costs for law business from Mich. 1758, to Hil. 1761; *It.* that £4 16*s.* be paid Mess. S^t. Léger and Franklin for ale for the use of the army in the Mayoralty of Ald. Bury; *It.* 12*s.* 4*d.* to Rich^d. Evans, Exchange Porter, for sand, brooms, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Owgan; Ald^en. Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, S^r. John Freke, Crone, Harding, Hodder, Philpotts, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

9 April, 1761—No business. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en.

Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Sr. John Freke, Hodder, Harding, and Philpott.

13 *April*, 1761.

Ordered, that Thos. Rose, Esq., eldest son of Thos. Rose, mercht., *dec.*; George Rose, Esq., eldest son of Henry Rose, Esq., *dec.*; Rev. James Stopford, Clk., eldest son of the Right Revd. James, Lord Bp. of Cloyne, *dec.*; Richard Pyne, Esq., eldest son of Robert Wakeham, gent., commonly called Robert Wakeham Pyne, Esq., *dec.*; Richard Woodward, tallow chandler, having served Wm. Hare, *do.*, *dec.*; Saml. Beale, mercht., son of Benjamin B., having served Saml. Pike, mercht.; Henry Mamix, mercht., son of Willm. M., having served Henry Mamix, *do.*; and Richd. Terry, gent., eldest son of Saml. Terry, mercht., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large of the City of Cork.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Alden. Jackson, Fuller, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Smith, Wrixon, Busteed, Sir J. Freke, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott; Mr. Travers, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

2 May, 1761—No business for want of a sufficient number. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Alden. Owgan, Crone, and Mr. Ab. Lane, C. S.

5 *May*, 1761.

Ordered, that James O'Hara, Esq., Com. of H. M. S. George, stationed in this harbour, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That £5 8s. be paid Mr. Silvester Clarke, cooper, for six salt barrels; *It.*, £10 to Mr. John Newenham, clerk to Mr. Mayor, for good services.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Alden. Owgan, Crone, Smith, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Wrixon, and Ab. Lane, C. S.

8 *May*, 1761.

Whereas James Molesworth, Esq., Lieut. Gov. of Cork, hath imprisoned the Collector of Petty Customs and his servant for collecting the Corporation dues at the market on Barrack hill, and wrote said collector a notice forbidding him at his peril to collect said customs, and also wrote the Mayor a letter supporting his imprisoning said collector, tending to dispute the rights of the City and support an arbitrary military power; ordered, that Mr. Hoare, in the name of the Mayor, &c., under the City Seal, prepare a

memorial to their Excellencies, setting forth the case, complaining of the conduct of said Molesworth and praying redress, and that copies of Molesworth's notice and letter to the Mayor be sent with said memorial, that Councillor Verling draw the draft of said memorial, and the Recorder peruse same, and that it be sent to John Hely Hutchinson, Esq., one of our representatives, to be laid before the Lords Justices.

That the Hon^l. Philip Tufton Percival, son of R^t. Hon. the Earl of Egmont, and Capt. of H. M. ship Dover, in the harbour of Cork, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Owgan; Ald^en. Jackson, Newman, Fuller, Owgan, Wrixon, Crone, Busteed, Reily, Swete, Philpott, Bury, Hodder, and Lane, C. S.

19 *May*, 1761.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en. Owgan, Wrixon, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, Swete, and Bury.

22 *May*, 1761.

Ordered, that Charles Lucas, Esq., M.D., and M.P. for Dublin, and Philip Tisdal, Esq., His Maj. Att^y.-General, be presented with their freedom in Silver boxes.

On the application of the clothiers of this City to the Council, that several French privateers have of late cruised in the Bristol Channel, and that a proper Ship of War would be wanting to protect the trade of this City, ordered, that a memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., be directed to the Lord Lieut., praying a proper ship to cruise from the harbour of Cork to the Island of Lundy, to protect the trade of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en. Owgan, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Bury, and Lane, C. S.

30 *May*, 1761.

Ordered, that Ald^en. Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, and Robt. Travers be a committee, with those whom the C. D. H. appoint, for settling the public accounts to 29 Sep. last.

That 45 guineas be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., Chief Baron's fees, Att. Gen.

fees, Officers of Rolls Office fees, &c., for pleading in the Court of Excheq. the Charter of King Charles I., whereby all fines and forfeitures are granted by the Crown to this Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Owgan, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Harding, Bury, Reily, Philpott, and Lane, C. S.

5 *June*, 1761.

Whereas Mr. Mayor hath been served with four orders forth of His Maj. Court of King's Bench at the prosecution of Richard Bourke, Geo. Smith, John Stack, and John Lynch, to show cause why attachments should not issue against him for committing said persons on their refusal to pay quarterage, ordered, that the expense be paid out of the Corporation revenues, and that Mr. Hoare take proper care of the causes.

That the ground and concerns of Mr. John Coghlan on Tuckey's quay, which he holds under a fee farm lease from Christ. Tuckey, Esq., be purchased from said Coghlan at 20 years' purchase, amounting to £313, which he agrees to take.

That Mr. John Coghlan be admitted a freeman at large, he having generously agreed to sell to the Corporation his interest on Tuckey's Quay.

That a Memorial be prepared in the name of the Mayor, &c., to their Excellencies the Lords Justices, to return them thanks for their order sent to Lieut. Gov. Molesworth not to molest the collectors of the Corporation in doing their duty, and to complain of committing the Mayor's Constable for two hours, and for the garrison orders he gave out, in very offensive words, reflecting on the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Fuller, Owgan, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Swete, and Mr. Travers.

16 *June*, 1761.

Ordered, that the Representatives of Doctor Tuckey, *dec.*, have liberty to build their houses at the South side of Tuckey's lane, pursuant to a plan now before the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Crone, Wrixon, Smith, Busteed, Reily, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Hodder, and Fuller.

27 June, 1761—No business for want of sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe,

Dep. Clk. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, and Philpott.

3 *July*, 1761.

This day Mr. W^m^. Clarke, the younger, was sworn into the Council as C. S.

That Thomas Tenison, Esq., His Maj. Prime Sergeant and one of the Justices of Assize, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Whereas a set of players have lately come to this City, and have printed bills for acting on Monday night next, without asking the Mayor's permission, It is the opinion of this Council that Mr. Mayor ought to prevent their acting until they apply for his permission and publish same in their bills.

That £20 be paid Mr. Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock on 1 Aug.; *It.*, £8 to Mr. Snowe, one of the coroners, for 8 inquests from 2 Oct., 1760, to 12 June last; *It.*, £2 10*s.* 1*d.* to Mr. Mayor, expenses of sending expresses to the Men of War at Kinsale and Cove, giving an account of a French Privateer being off the Harbour of Cork, and expenses of a guard of soldiers for two days at the last Cork Fair at Fair Hill.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Smith, Busteed, Hodder, Harding, Swete, Bury, and Mr. Clarke, C. S.

31 July, 1761—No business for want of sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. Present — Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Owgan; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Busteed, Bury, and Philpott.

13 Aug., 1761—No business for want of sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Owgan, Crone, Busteed, Reily, Philpott, Bury.

26 *Aug.*, 1761.

This day Mr. Mayor elect was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that £15 18*s.* 6*d.* be paid Saml. Hobson, Esq., for Newspapers and Votes supplied by Edm^d^. Browning to 24 June; *It.*, eight guineas to Savage French, Esq., the price of a horse and truckle, his property, that was pressed to carry soldiers' baggage to Youghal, where said horse and truckle were lost.

Ordered, that the Gateage tolls, Fish Market, Corn Market, North and South Milk Market dues, be set by public cant on the Exchange to the

highest bidder on 14th Sep. next; *It.*, the Waterbailiff's employment, with the Corporation dues, on the 14th, giving security, that he collect the Mayor's dues and keep the coal and salt barrels in good repair, and that he or his deputy attend the Mayor, &c., on public occasions, with the Silver Oar; *It.*, that the fowls, eggs and butter that are usually sold within the gates be for the ensueing year exposed to sale in the present Foul Market, and the petty customs arising therefrom be set to public cant on 19 Sep.; *It.*, that no standings be suffered on any of the bridges of this City, or under the gateways of the North and South Bridges, or in the main street from North Gate to South Gate, or in any of the streets between the gates, and that such standings be removed on 29 Sep. next; *It.*, that the petty customs of the North Shambles and the standings outside North Gate be set to cant on 21 Sep.; *It.*, the petty customs of the South Shambles and the standings outside South Gate be set to cant on 22 Sep.; *It.*, the petty customs of the Root and Potatoe Markets on the Potatoe Quay be set to public cant on 22 Sep.

Ordered, that the Right Hon. Lord Loftus, now in this City, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, and that in the certificate it be mentioned, "the due sense that this Corporation has of his great humanity and benevolence in saving several ships and their cargoes that were stranded on his estate in the Co. of Wexford without any view to Salvage or private interest;" *It.*, that the Hon. Lord Newtoun Butler, now in this City, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; *It.*, that the Right Hon. Francis Andrews, Esq., Provost of Trinity College, Dublin, now in this City, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

That the Mayor and Sheriffs, Mayor elect and Sheriffs elect, Ald^en^. Atkins, Sir John Freke, Bart., Ald. Wrixon, Westropp, Reily, Harding, Robt. Travers, Esq., and Mr. C. S., be a committee to represent to this board what laws are wanting for the good of the Corporation, and they be empowered to take the advice of any gentleman they think proper, and Mr. Hoare, Clk., and Mr. Snowe, Dep. Clk., of Council, are desired to attend.

That Mr. Hoare do employ Counc^rs^. Verling and Wood to draw drafts of the Mayor's affidavits in answer to the affidavits made against the Mayor for attachments, and that said drafts be laid before the Recorder.

That £38 6*s.* 5*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., lawyers' fees paid by him for the Corporation; *It.*, £30 to Mr. James Chatterton, one of the Burgesses.

Whereas an application was made this day to the Council for a sallary to be settled by the Corporation on an Organist for Christ Church, it is the opinion of the Council that the expense of an Organist ought to be paid by the parish, as the Corporation paid for the organ.

That Mr. Thos. Roberts, brother-in-law to the Mayor; George Lee, Silversmith, having served Ald. Hodder; Horatio, eldest son of John Ireland, ironmonger; Henry, eldest son of Wm. Baldwin, Esq.; Francis Harrison, having served Mess. Richd. and Henry Moore; and Silver Oliver, Esq., be admitted freemen at large of this City.

That 18 English shillings be paid the ringers of the Bells of S. Mary Shandon for ringing said Bells on 15 inst. for the joyful news received that day of several Victories over the French; *It.*, £5 8s. to Mess. St. Leger and Francklin, for ale supplied the army by order of the Mayor; *It.*, £4 12s. 2½*d.* to Richard Burt, for plumbing work; *It.*, 40 shillings to Madge, daughter to Walter Lane, *dec.*, an old servant of the Corporation, being the amount of a debt she contracted for burying her father.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor elect, Sher. Harding; Alden. Crone, Westropp, Busteed, Smith, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Travers, Owgan, Millerd, Newman, and Mr. Clarke, C. S.

15 *Sep.*, 1761.

That Mr. Hoare prepare an address to His Majesty on his marriage and the success of his arms.

That His Excell. the Lord Lieutenant be presented with his freedom in a Gold box not exceeding 50 guineas, the box to be made in London and sent to John Hely Hutchinson, Esq., for presentation.

That an entertainment be prepared this evening for celebrating His Maj. marriage; also another for the day of his Coronation.

That £3 11s. 2*d.* be paid Timothy Hughes for iron work supplied; *It.*, 6 guineas to Rev. Michael Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, for six occasional sermons; *It.*, a salary of £60 a year to the Waterbailiff.

That the Petty Customs of the Fowl, Egg, and Butter Market be set by public cant on 24 Sep.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan and Jackson; Alden. Millerd, Crone, Busteed, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Westropp, and Mr. Clarke, C. S.

17 Sep., 1761—No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan, Alden. Jackson, Millerd, Crone, Smith, Swete, and Westropp.

21 *Sep.*, 1761.

Ordered, that Mr. Thos. Roberts, brother-in-law to the Mayor; Mr. Hugh Janeson, mercht.; Edward Becher, Esq.; Richd. Harris, mercht., having served Ald. Wrixon and Mr. Burgess Wrixon; Edward Parks, clothier, having served Mr. Burgess Parks; Murtogh Mahony, clothier, having served Mr. Parks; David Mellefont, Esq.; and Willm. Greatrakes, Esq., be admitted freemen at large of this City.

That £11 10*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mr. Hugh Taylor, costs of a suit in defence of the Corporation right of standings out of the North Gate.

"I agree to all the above orders except that of admitting Mr. T. Roberts free at large, which I protest against, because rejected in a late C. D. H."—Will. Clarke, Jun., C. S.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Owgan; Alden. Millerd, Westropp, Wrixon, Smith, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Travers, and Mr. Clarke, C. S.

28 *Sep.*, 1761.

Ordered, that £18 14*s.* 5*d.* be paid Henry Rugge, costs of an entertainment at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £18 10*s.* 8½*d.* to said Rugge for an entertainment 31 July last, to celebrate the joyful news of the taking of Bellisle; *It.*, £31 8*s.* 3*d.* to said Rugge for an entertainment 15 Sep., to celebrate Her Maj. Queen Charlotte's arrival in England; *It.*, £49 5*s.* to said Rugge for an entertainment 22 Sep., to celebrate the Coronation of their Majesties; *It.*, £10 16*s.* to Mess. St. Leger and Franklin for ale supplied the army on two rejoicing days; *It.*, £4 17*s.* 6*d.* to the ringers of S. Mary Shandon for ringing the bells on several rejoicing days.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Owgan; Alden. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Reily, Harding, Philpott; Mr. Travers, and Clarke, C. S.

14 *Oct.*, 1761.

Andrew Franklin, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Sheriffs Fitton and Morrison were sworn Council men as Sheriffs.

Ordered, that £31 11*s.* 8*d.* be paid Ald. Hodder, silversmith, for work done; *It.*, £12 1*s.* 8*d.* to Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer, for coals; *It.*, £11 0*s.* 11½*d.* to Mary Harrison, for printing-work in the Mayoralty of Ald. Bury and Wetherall; *It.*, £1 1*s.* 3½*d.* to Rich^d. Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, &c.; *It.*, £14 18*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. W^m. Bull, attorney, his bill of costs; *It.*, £4 to Mr. S^t. Laurence Bowden, for two years' lists of shipping. The Clerk of the Council to let Mr. Bowden know, not to furnish any further lists.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Parker, and Mr. Clark, C. S.

28 *Oct.*, 1761.

The committee appointed for considering what bye-laws are necessary for the Corporation of Cork, report, that the following laws will be useful, *viz.*: The Lamp Act, with the same clauses as are in the present Lamp Act for Dublin; An Act for the better applotting and collecting the public money; An Act to enable the Corporation and such freemen as they shall call in to make reservoirs and lay down pipes for supplying the inhabitants with water, with power to cut through grounds, making satisfaction; A clause to take down two houses at the East end of Tuckey Street, paying the proprietor what a Jury shall value same at; A clause to build a Stone Bridge from the quay opposite Princes Street to Lavit's Island, and a Stone Bridge from thence to the Red Abbey Marsh, with a drawbridge of wood in the centre to let vessels pass and repass; A clause to make coaches, chariots, post-chaises, chairs and sedans plying for hire in the City of Cork, to pay the same duties to the workhouse of this City as are paid to that of Dublin; A clause that Straw shall be sold in the City by weight, the same to be made up in bundles of six pound avoirdupois under a penalty of 2*s.* 6*d.*, and 2*s.* 6*d.* for having same wet with intent to defraud; A clause to prevent combination among workmen; A clause to prevent persons buying Coal in the City in order to sell same again; A clause for regulating the Harbour of Cork; And that heads of a bill for said purpose be prepared in Cork, as it will be of great service to our representatives in Parliament. The Council agree to same, and order Mr. Hoare to employ Councillor Verling to draw the heads of said bill and lay it before the Recorder for perusal.

That a Salary of £20 a-year be paid Mr. Henry Delamain, organist of Christ Church; *It.*, £25 to Mr. Davis Ducart, Engineer, for his trouble in taking the level of the river Lee, and drawing several plans of water-works to supply this City with water; *It.*, £15 3*s.* 9½*d.* to Mr. Isaac Bussy, for candles.

Ordered, that St. John Cooke, merch^t.^, having served Mr. Christ. Carleton and Goodwin Purcell, merch^t.^, having served Harmer Delahoide, merch^t.^, be admitted free at large of this City.

Whereas it is apprehended a suit is intended to be brought against Mr. Mayor, for preventing the players from acting in this City, on account of their putting up bills without the Mayor's permission, ordered, that in such case the Mayor's costs be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

That a draft of the Bye-law now laid before the Council by Mr. Sher. Morrison be prepared by Counc. Verling and Wood, and perused by the Recorder.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en.^ Jackson, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Winthrop, and C. S.

11 *Nov.*, 1761.

That the gallery in Christ Church, late in the possession of Mr. John Chartres, *dec.*, be purchased to enlarge the Corporation Gallery.

That the Right Hon. Will. Gerrard Hamilton, Esq., Sec^y.^ to his Excell. the Lord Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a Gold box.

That William, eldest son of John Chartres, gent., *dec.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en.^ Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Swete, Wetherall, Wrixon, Harding, Philpott, and Clark, C. S.

25 *Nov.*, 1761.

Ordered, that £11 be paid the Coroner for 11 inquests from 20 June to 29 Oct. last, inclusive; *It.*, £20 to Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer, for 80 barrels of Coals; *It.*, £200 to Stephen Irwin, peruke maker, on his executing to the Mayor, &c., a conveyance of his estate and interest in the two houses at the North-east end of Tuckey's Lane; *It.*, £30 to Joan Riordan, on her

executing to the Mayor, &c., a conveyance of her interest in the small house at the lower end of Tuckey's Lane; *It.*, £4 to Thomas Winter, many years one of the Sergeants at Mace, now very old, sickly, and extremely poor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Alden. Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Philpott, Sweete, Bury, Wetherall.

4 *Dec.*, 1761.

Ordered, that Mr. Nichas. Wrixon, Atty., be appointed Agent for the Corporation for all matters to be transacted in Dublin.

That the heads of a bill drawn by Counc. Verling, for applotting public-money, building a Stone Bridge from the quay opposite Princes Street to Lavit's Island, and a Stone Bridge from thence to the Red Abbey Marsh, with a draw-bridge to let vessels pass, also supplying the City with water, be sent by Mr. Hoare to Mr. Wrixon, who is to attend our representatives with same, and solicit it to be enacted by the present Parliament; and that Mr. Hoare send said Wrixon the heads of a bill drawn by Counc. Verling for putting the coaches, chaises, chairs, and sedans that ply in this City for hire under the like regulations, for the benefit of the workhouse of Cork, as in Dublin, and for regulating the Harbour of Cork, and that Mr. Wrixon correspond with Mr. Hoare, and let him know whether any or what witnesses will be wanting, &c.

That 20 guineas be paid Counc. Verling for his trouble in drawing the heads of nine Acts of Parliament. *It.*, £12 to Wm. Busteed, Esq., the cost of a six-oar boat with mast and sails; *It.*, £39 14*s.* 7½*d.* to Robt. Hoare, Esq., for law business; *It.*, £17 13*s.* 5½*d.* to Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer, costs of paving Castle Street, and repairs done to Corn Market, Exchange, Milk Market, and Shambles.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Aldcn. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Harding, and Mr. Clark, C. S.

9 *Dec.*, 1761.

This day, Alden. Westropp, Wrixon, Bury, Robt. Travers, Esq., Messrs. John Lapp, Peter Cossart, Richd. Marrett, Godfrey Baker, and Mr. Boyle Travers were appointed a committee to audit the public accounts to

29 Sep., 1760, report that they stated the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., Chamberlain, to said date, and that the sum of £1099 14*s.* 4¾*d.* was due from said Carleton to the Corporation.

That Sher. Fitton and Morrison, Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Bury. and Harding be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts to 29 Sep., 1761.

That a letter be written by Mr. Hoare to S^r^. John Freke, to desire him to wait on the Earl of Shannon, and settle the suit now against him and others for the recovery of the legacy left to the Blue Coat Hospital by Ab. Dickson, *dec.*

That Mr. Sher. Fitton, Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Harding and Bury be a committee to state the accounts between the Blue Coat Hospital, Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses, and report.

That £4 17*s.* 2*d.* be paid Messrs. Phineas and George Bagnell, for printing work done in the Mayoralty of Ald. Wetherall.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison be a committee to treat with Mr. Kevan Izod and Mr. W^m^. Lawton with regard to their proposal for keeping the streets clean. *It.*, £6 to Mr. John Wood, a year and half's rent for the Guard Room at Blackpool.

That an address be prepared to Mr. Pitt, in the name of the Mayor, &c., Merchants, and Traders, for his faithful, wise, and vigorous conduct as one of His Maj. Principal Sec^ys^. of State, whereby great honour, &c., has arisen to this kingdom.

That Ald^en^. Jackson, Harding, Philpott, Wetherall be a committee to inspect the ground granted to the Corporation by Dr. Brocklesby, and return to the Council plans of a Guard Room and such Markets as can be built thereon.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Wrixon, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Owgan, and Harding.

12 *Dec.*, 1761.

Ordered, that Willm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Council, do employ Counc^l^. Verling to draw a petition to the H. C., in the name of the Mayor, &c., against continuing the present Act for weighing butter and hides, and therein set forth the several abuses committed by the Deputy Weigh Mas-

ters, and non-attendance of the Weighmasters, and that the power of appointing Weighmasters may be vested in the Mayor, &c., according to ancient usage, before Ald. Hoare and Knapp, representatives of this City, got themselves by Act of Parliament appointed Weighmasters, and that the Corporation will apply all the profits of the office to the use of the Workhouse of this City.

That Francis Carleton, Esq., do accept a bill of Exchange drawn by Mr. James Benson on him at 31 days date for £80 12*s.* 6*d.*, cost of a Gold Box, in which the Lord Lieut. was presented with his freedom of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton; Ald^en^. Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall.

7 *Jan.*, 1762.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Bury, Philpott, Wetherall, and Clark, C. S.

8 *Jan.*, 1762.

Ordered, that £11 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, to enable him to punish and send away from this City all foreign beggars and strollers that in great numbers come from the country and other towns and infest this City, and to prevent several shocking objects as daily appear in the public streets, to the great offence of the inhabitants and public.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, and Clark, C. S.

19 *Jan.*, 1762.

Mr. Hoare having received a letter from Mr. Nich. Wrixon, Corporation Agent in Dublin, that £60 were necessary to be remitted to him, towards paying the fees of the Act applied for this Session, ordered, that it be paid.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Jackson, Crone, Wrixon, Smith, Busteed, Reily, Philpott, Harding, Bury, Swete, and C. S.

24 *Feb.*, 1762.

Ordered, that £400 be paid Mr. Nich. Wrixon, to pay the fees of the several Acts of Parliament applied for by this Corporation this Session, same to be accounted for by said Wrixon; *It.*, £7 11*s.* to Andrew Coleman, tyler, for work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton; Ald^en^. Jackson, Parker, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Swete, Philpott, and Clark, C. S.

10 *March*, 1762.

Ordered, that the Right Hon. Rich^d^. Ashton, Lord Chief Justice, and one of the Justices of Assize, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That Robt. Nash, merch^t^., having served Thomas Beare, merch^t^., and Harmer Delahoide, and Ebenezer Morrison, merch^t^., be admitted free at large.

That Ald. Busteed buy twelve Coal-barrels and get the old ones repaired.

That £5 4*s.* 4*d.* be paid Ald. Harding for gunpowder, &c., for the late Fireworks in this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, and Mr. Clarke, C. S.

5 *April*, 1762.

Whereas it has been strongly recommended by the Government to the Mayor, &c., to be active in repressing the riotous assemblies of people now convened in many parts of this Kingdom. The better to enable the Magistrates of this City to perform their duty, It is recommended by this board that the Protestant inhabitants shall wear swords, to be in a condition to assist the Magistrates, and to seize and arrest any persons whom they may hear or see speaking or acting offensively to the peace and government of this Kingdom or City, and that the Protestant inhabitants of this City do keep their Fire-arms in their houses in good order and condition.

That the Protestant inhabitants of the several parishes shall forthwith deliver in a list of their names to the different clergymen, who are to deliver them to the Mayor, that they may attend at the Market House, there to exercise with the arms in the Armory, under the inspection of a Justice of the Peace, and that proper persons attend to instruct them. The days for

the meetings of the several parishes to be determined by lot, of which the Mayor will give notice by posting on the Exchange.

That Timothy Hughes, Armourer, do immediately make up in cartridges a sufficient provision of powder and ball for all the arms now in the market-house, to wit, twenty-four rounds for each.

That in case of any sudden emergency, that the Protestant inhabitants do immediately repair to the Market House as a place of general rendezvous, where arms are to be distributed to them; the signal for their meeting to be the ringing of a single bell in each parish of this City.

Ordered, that the Protestant merchants, shopkeepers, and others, who deal in gunpowder, do send to Mr. Mayor a just account of all now in their possession, and that all Roman Catholic merchants, &c., make a true return to Mr. Mayor of all gunpowder in their possession, that the same be deposited in the stores; the returns to be made by Thursday, 8 inst. at 12 o'clock.

That a Memorial, in the name of the Mayor, &c., be laid before the Lord Lieut., praying him that there are two regiments in this City now under orders for embarkation, and in case they embark the City would be left destitute of a sufficient force to protect the public peace, unless other troops replace them; likewise praying his Excellency that the fire-arms now lying useless in Skiddy's Castle be given out to the Corporation, to be put in a proper condition for the use of the Protestant inhabitants.

That 1000 copies of the foregoing orders be printed, and one of each be posted upon the Exchange, the North and South Gates, the Custom House Gates, &c., the remaining copies to be distributed amongst the inhabitants.

That 100 guineas be paid the Mayor, &c., to be applied in buying up a number of cutlasses, to be distributed amongst such of the Protestant inhabitants of this City as are not already provided with arms of their own, for their defence in case of any hostile attack, and that each person receiving a cutlass shall deposit with the Mayor a receipt to return same, or the value thereof, when called for.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Busteed, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Winthrop, Wetherall, Swete, and Mr. Clark, C. S.

9 *April*, 1762.

The Council having been informed that a Bill for the better collecting, &c., the public money, regulating coaches, &c., and the Harbour of Cork, has met with some obstruction in England, as to its passing as a Public Bill, ordered, that the expense of carrying said Bill into a Law shall be paid out of the revenues of the Corporation to Mr. Nich. Wrixon, agent in Dublin.

That £2 18*s.* 6*d.* be paid the Ringers of St. Mary Shandon Bells, for several rejoycing days, to 6 April, inst. *It.*, £44 8*s.* 0½*d.* to Mr. Will. Bull, attorney, his bill of costs, &c., in the quarterage complaint.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Aldn. Westropp, Winthrop, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Harding, Philpott, Bury, and Wetherall.

23 *April*, 1762.

Whereas the Mayor received a letter from the Lord-Lieuts. Secy., signifying that orders are sent to the Store-keeper here to deliver to the Corporation such a number of musquets out of Skiddy's Castle as they shall require, giving a promise under their hand and seal to keep same in good order, and return them when required; ordered, that the Mayor do apply to the Storekeeper for such number of musquets as he shall think proper, get the same put in repair, and execute said instrument according to proposal of Government.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Aldn. Jackson, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Harding, Philpott, Hodder, Winthrop, and Clark, C. S.

27 *April*, 1762.

Whereas Mr. Mayor, on 25 inst., by letter, applied to Lieut.-Col. Molesworth, Com. Officer of this Garrison, informing him that a guard, which consisted of a Corporal and six men, that had some time past been kept in Cove Street, a remote part of this City, had been discontinued, and desiring that for preservation of the King's peace the same guard should be kept there for the future; and whereas Lieut. Col. Molesworth peremptorily refused the orders of the Mayor; and this Board being of opinion that such a proceeding is a high contempt of the civil magistracy exerted by the military

power. Ordered, that Mr. Hoare prepare a memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., to his Excellency the Lord-Lieut., complaining of said proceeding, and praying immediate redress.

Ordered, that Godfrey Lill, Esq., one of his Maj. Council at Law, and M.P. for Fore, being sent down to this City by Government, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That £12 4*s.* 8*d.* be paid Richd. Burt for plumbing.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Morrison; Aldeu. Jackson, Bradshaw, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Reily, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Wetherall, Parker, and Mr. Clark, C. S.

10 *May*, 1762.

In reply to the above memorial, Mr. Mayor received a letter from Thos. Waite, Esq., Sect. to Lords Justices, in words following:

"Dublin Castle, 3 May, 1762. Sir,—I am commanded by the Lords Justices to acquaint you that your Memorial concerning the Guard in Cove Street was this day laid before their Excellencies, and that they have by this post sent orders to Col. Molesworth forthwith to comply with your request in this, and in all other instances of the like nature. I am, Sir, your most obedt., humble Servt.

"To the Mayor of Corke. "THOS. WAITE."

And whereas Mr. Mayor, on receipt, wrote to Lieut.-Gov. Molesworth in words following:

"Cork, May 7, 1762. Sir,—As I conceive it necessary for the preservation of his Maj. peace that a guard should be kept at Cove Street, a place remote from any of the present guards, and situated near two public Mass-houses, I desire that a guard of one Corporal and six soldiers be immediately mounted there, and continued so long as I shall think the same requisite, a Guard Room being already provided for that purpose. I am, Sir, your most obedt., humble Servant,

"ANDREW FRANKLIN, Mayor.

"To Lieut.-Gov. Molesworth, Com. Off. of the Gar. at Corke."

And as Lieut.-Gov. Molesworth hath refused complying with the Mayor's directions, and wrote the Mayor a short letter in the following words:

"7 May, 1762. Sir,—In the present situation of the King's troops no guard can be mounted more than is already provided for the safety of the town. I am, Sir, your humble servt.

"J. MOLESWORTH, Lt.-Govr.

"To A. Franklin, Esq., Mayor of Cork."

And as the refusal of Lieut.-Gov. Molesworth to mount a guard, pursuant to his order from Government and Mr. Mayor's directions, appears to this board a high contempt of the orders of their Excellencies the Lords Justices, as of the civil authority, an attempt to set up Military power in opposition to the Civil power in this City; ordered, that Mr. Hoare prepare a Memorial to the Lords Justices, setting forth the conduct of Lieut.-Gov. Molesworth, and praying redress.

This board has been informed that about 700 steel mounted hangers are in his Maj. Stores at Cork, where they remain useless; ordered, that application be made to Government for said hangers, for the use of the Militia of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Aldcn. Jackson, Westropp, Wrixon, Smith, Crone, Reily, Harding, Swete, Bury, Philpott, Busteed, Millerd, and Wm. Clark, jun., C. S.

14 *May*, 1762.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Aldcn. Westropp, Wrixon, Millerd, Reily, Philpott, Bury, Harding and Winthrop.

26 *May*, 1762.

Ordered, that Richd. Knight, Esq., Commander of His Maj.'ship Liverpool, now stationed for the protection of the trade from Cork to Bristol, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That Ralph Dore, mercht., having served George Johnson, mercht.; Joseph Heard, clothier, eldest son of Joseph Heard, skinner, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

That 12*s.* 5½*d.* be paid James Supple for repairing the City fire engine; *It.*, £10 3*s.* 9½*d.* to Mr. Mayor, expenses about the Militia, the Levellers, and cash given to carry home some soldiers' wives left in this City after embarkation of their husbands; *It.*, £18 3*s.* 4*d.* to Mrs. Esther Holmes for clothing supplied the Bellmen and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £7 17*s.* 11*d.* to Eugene Swiney for printing work from 1758 to 1761, and that said Swiney be no further employed by this board; *It.*, £11 7*s.* 6*d.* to Silvester Clarke, cooper, for coal barrels; *It.*, £8 6*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Sheriff Morrison, so much expended by him to Soldiers, Sergeants and Corporals, for instructing the City Militia; *It.*, £9 for nine inquests from 18 Jan. last to 13 April last; *It.*, 10 guineas to James Lill, storekeeper of this City, for services done for the City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Alden. Jackson, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, and Clarke, C. S.

9 *June*, 1762.

Whereas it appears to this Board that Lieut. Gov. Molesworth still persists in refusing Guards to the Mayor for the protection of the Peace of this City, and particularly refused a Guard last Friday, the 7 inst., ordered, that a memorial be sent to the Government in the name of the Mayor, &c., setting forth the whole proceeding.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Alden. Jackson, Bradshaw, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Harding, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Millerd, Swete, Philpott, and Clarke, C. S.

16 *June*, 1762.

This day Ald. Owgan, Wrixon, Mr. Sher. Fitton and Morrison, Ald. Harding and Bury, Mr. John Cossart, and Peter Cambridge appointed a committee to settle the public accounts, report, that they examined Mr. Francis Carleton's accounts as Chamberlain to 29 Sep. last, and that a ballance of £259 18*s.* 2¾*d.* was due from said Carleton to the Corporation.

That an advertisement be published for proposals for paving the Main Street and the North and South bridges.

Whereas Messrs Wm. Lawton and Kevan Izod, merct., have given a proposal for sweeping and keeping clean the Main Street from North Gate

to South Gate, Castle Street before the Corn Market, the chair standings and Tuckey's Street (when finished), and George's Street to the new Play House, that they will sweep said streets three times a week at least, and carry away every heap, and for every heap neglected they will subject themselves to a penalty of 2*s.*, and that they will do said work for a sallary of £20 a year, provided they have a lease for seven years, and the place be granted them where the dung is now kept by South Gate to lodge said sweepings in, leaving a passage to the slip and necessary house.

That Ald. W^m^. Harding be appointed to sweep the street called Mallow Lane from Newgate to Hilgrove's house, and that he may dispose of said sweepings as he shall think proper, provided he carry away every heap as soon as swept up.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Crone, Wrixon, Harding, Philpott, Wetherall, Reily, Bury, and Mr. Clark, Jun., C. S.

21 *July*, 1762.

This day Mr. Willm. Willcocks, C. S., was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

That William Austen, gent., eldest son of Thomas A., *dec.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

That £12 7*s.* 9*d.* be paid John Martin, gunsmith, for repairing part of the Militia arms; *It.*, £10 2*s.* 6*d.* to Christopher Woods, gunsmith, for repairing part of *do.*

That Ald. W^m^. Harding be empowered to seize all dung that shall be left in the public streets and lanes from Newgate to Hillgrove's house in the North Suburbs.

That the Mayor provide an entertainment at Blackrock on first Wednesday in Aug. next, pursuant to annual custom.

That £1 16*s.* 2*d.* be paid Mr. Henry Rugge, expenses of a breakfast by him prepared at the Council Chamber on the day of the Proclamation of the war against Spain.

That Roger Oulden, Mason and Paver, proposed and that he will new pave the Main Street from gate to gate between the two Gaols, also the Gate houses of the North and South Bridges, as far as the iron grates at the end of same at 3 pence the square yard, and keep same in repair for seven years

for the annual sum of £11, giving a bond for same, and further, that he expects 7 pounds every Saturday for the payment of his workmen whilst the new pavement is going on, which proposal is agreed to; *It.*, £40 12*s.* 9½*d.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., lawyer's fees, &c.

That W^m^. Chadwick, gent., only son of Rodolphus Chadwick, merch^t^., *dec.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

That 10 guineas be paid Ald. Owgan for lodgings for the Judges that came down to try the Levellers; *It.*, 11*s.* 4½*d.* to Richard Evans, the Exchange porter, for summoning the Commissioners of Array and the officers of the horse and foot Militia of this City, on business relative to the arraying of the Militia; *It.*, £2 14*s.* to the ringers of the bells of S^t^. Mary Shandon for ringing on the Queen's birth day, the reduction of Martinico, and the Victory obtained by Prince Ferdinand over the French at Grabensteir.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Crone, Busteed, Harding, Bury, Swete, Wrixon, Winthrop, and Mr. Willcocks, C. S.

3 *Aug.*, 1762.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Harding, Philpott, Bury, and Mr. Willcocks, C. S.

6 *Aug.*, 1762.

This day the Mayor Elect was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Whereas some clamours have arisen by several freemen demanding from the Council the freedom to be granted to their eldest sons as a matter of right, and as it has been the constant custom of this Council not to grant such during the life time of their father as a matter of right, but sometimes as a matter of favour, ordered, that the clerk of the Council take the opinion of the Recorder in writing, whether they are entitled thereto.

Ordered, that liberty be granted to Abra. Devonshire, Riggs Falkiner, Robt. Gordon, and Christ. Carleton, Esq^rs^., and Stephen Mills, merch^t^., to take in from the North side of the river Lee, and to fill same 210 feet in length, extending from the dock next to French's quay Eastward to the quay of the small house on the dock yard and to range in a straight line

from said French's quay to said small house quay, and containing 8½ feet in breadth at the West side, and to end in a point at the East side, provided a public quay of 36 feet wide be left open to said River Lee from said West to said East side, and of the length of 210 feet, said liberty to remain to said Devonshire, Falkiner, Gordon, Carleton, and Mills, their heirs, &c., for 999 years, said Devonshire, &c., paying the Mayor, &c., of this City the yearly rent of one shilling during said term.

Ordered, that Ald. Busteed do erect a new spit opposite the fort, and erect the old spit opposite the lower part of Cove, same to be paid out of the revenues of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Busteed, Harding, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Philpott, Crone; Mr. Willcocks, C. S., Ald. Swete and Winthrop.

21 *Aug.*, 1762.

Recorder's opinion regarding the Eldest sons of Freemen was read: "I am of opinion that the eldest son of a freeman, merely as such, has not a right to his freedom during the life of his father, but must wait till his death to succeed him, as in the case of a descendible freehold estate;" ordered, that this opinion be filed in the Town Clerk's office, for perusal of the freemen at large.

That the Mayor, &c. pass his receipt for such musquets, bayonets, and hangers as he shall receive from the keepers of H. M. stores for the use of the Militia, and that the receipt of Timothy Hughes, the City Armourer, shall be sufficient for such as shall be lodged by the Mayor in the City Armoury.

That the Corporation Gallery in S^t^. Paul's Church be painted, and that Mr. C. S. do oversee same.

That £46 9*s.* 5*d.* be paid Ald. Hodder for one gold box and three silver boxes; *It.*, £36 8*s.* 5*d.* to Richard Whitney, gunsmith, for cleaning part of the Militia arms; *It.*, £9 15*s.* to Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, for iron work; *It.*, £17 13*s.* 7½*d.* to Mr. Edwd. Browning, for one year's English and Irish Newspapers and votes of the House of Commons.

That Ebenezer Sargent buy 130 barrels of coal.

That the Gateage tolls, fish and corn market dues, North and South Milk Market *do.*, Petty Customs of North and South Shambles, and standings

outside North and South Gates, Petty Customs of root, potatoes, foul, egg, butter, furze, and bandle cloth markets, be set by public cant on the Exchange of this City, and that no standings be suffered on any of the Bridges or under the Gateways of the North and South Bridges, or from North to South gate, or any of the streets leading from the Main Street.

That £24 7*s.* 8*d.* be paid Thos. Armstrong, gunsmith, for repairing part of the Militia arms; *It.,* £30 to Mr. James Chatterton.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Harding, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, and Mr. Willcocks, C. S.

4 *Sep.,* 1762.

That £60 be paid the Waterbailiff for one year, who is to receive the Mayor's dues, give security for the dues, account for the same quarterly, deducting the expenses of a Deputy, &c.

That £300 be paid the Mayor for the ensueing year in addition to the salary voted him by the C. D. H.; *It.,* £46 19*s.* 3*d.* to Timothy Hughes, gunsmith, for repairing part of the Militia arms.

That George Baker, having served Paul Baker, cooper; John, eldest son of Richard Sympson, mercht., *dec.;* Edmond Roche Kinselagh, gent., having served W^m^. Snowe, gent.; Walter Fitz Simmons, Esq., at the request of the Mayor; James Chatterton, gent., having served W^m^. Snowe, gent.; Richard eldest son of Rich^d^. Bettesworth, Esq., one of H. M. Sergeant's at law, *dec.,* be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, and Mr. Willcocks, C. S.

22 *Sep.,* 1762.

This day Robt. Hoare, Esq., on account of his age and infirmities, resigned his agency for the lawsuits of this city.

That £3 1*s.* be paid Robt. Hoare, Esq., for the Recorder's opinion as to the right of eldest sons of Freemen to their freedom during the life-time of their fathers.

Whereas an Act passed for supplying this City with water, the Common Council, &c., are appointed for carrying out that part of the Act, and having

taken same into consideration, have agreed that the same shall be divided into 100 shares, and that the Common Council, in trust for the Mayor, &c., take one quarter part said shares, to be paid out of the revenues of the Corporation, all profits from same to belong to said revenues, and all losses to be defrayed out of the same.

Agreed that the ground cellars, coach houses, and stables taken on Haman's Marsh, be let for 600 years, and that they be advertised to be set, proposals to be sent to the Mayor.

That Rich^d. FzGerald, Esq., and the Rt. Hon. Harvey Lo. Mountmorris, be presented with their freedoms in Silver boxes.

That Mr. Will. Snowe be appointed agent in the room of Robert Hoare, Esq.

That 10 guineas be paid Stephen Justin, barber, for the purchase of the wall reserved by him out of the grant made by him to the Corporation of his houses adjoining Tuckey Street.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fitton and Morrison; Ald^en. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Harding, Crone, Winthrop, and Swete.

John Wrixon, Esq., Mayor.

1 *Nov.*, 1762.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs were sworn Common Council men.

Ordered, that £140 14*s.* 8½*d.* be paid Mr. Nich. Wrixon, attorney, his bill of costs; *It.*, £72 5*s.* to Mr. W^m. Bull, att^y., law business; *It.*, £1 16*s.* 3½*d.* to Rich^d. Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, &c.

That Mr. Sher. Travers and Lane, Ald. Westropp, Wrixon, Harding, Philpott, and Bury be a committee, with such as the C. D. H. shall appoint to state the Chamberlain's accounts.

That Sher. Lane, Ald. Wrixon and Harding be a committee to settle with Mr. Hugh Norcott for the custom of turf, furz, and timber in faggots for fuel, which by an Act of Parl. passed last session, are made free of toll, and report what shall be allowed said Norcott for same out of his Gateage rent.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Ald^en. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Hodder, Harding, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wilcocks, C. S.

1 *Dec.*, 1762.

Ordered, that the waste plott of ground, cellar, &c., on Haman's Marsh, taken from Ald. Reily, be set by public cant for 600 years to highest bidder.

This day Willm. Busteed, Esq., Waterbailiff, produced an account of the Water dues from 29 Sep., 1761, to 29 Sep., 1762, with his affidavit at foot, by which it appears he paid the Chamberlain £158 3*s.* 1½*d.* over and above all expenses.

That £30 12*s.* be paid Messrs. St. Leger and Franklin for ale for the army on rejoycing days, from 18 Jan., 1762, to 30 Nov. last; *It.*, £21 0*s.* 6½*d.* to C. S. expenses of painting the Corporation Gallery in Paul's Church; *It.*, £4 to Mr. John Wood for one year's rent of the Guard House at Blackpool.

Mr. Sheriff Lane this day reported that the committee appointed to settle with Mr. Hugh Norcott, the Collector of the Gateage for the present year, for the custom of turf, furz, and timber in faggots for fuel, agreed for the sum of £70; ordered, that it be allowed him out of his present quarter's rent.

It., that £23 18*s.* 6*d.* be paid Charles Holland, gunsmith, for repairing part of the Militia Arms.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en. Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Busteed, Hodder, Harding, Philpott, Bury, and Wilcocks, C. S.

4 *Jan.*, 1763.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en. Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Wrixon, Hodder, Harding, Swete, and Mr. Willcocks, C. S.

7 *Jan.*, 1763.

Ordered, that a Memorial be sent the Lords Justices, setting forth that the Corporation formerly executed a bond to his late Majy. for a quantity of arms for the use of the Militia, since the commencement of the present war with France, that they have been repaired at very considerable expense, and that as the preliminaries of peace with France and Spain are agreed on, the

Corporation are ready to deliver back said arms, and praying the bond may be given up.

That £43 6*s.* 8*d.* Messrs. Lawton and Carleton, for 400 cutlasses; *It.*, £7 5*s.* 2*d.*, to John Minton, for a Guard Room; *It.*, £19 1*s.* 9*d.* to Henry Rugge Vintnor, for an entertainment at Blackrock, last August; *It.*, £2 3*s.* 4½*d.* to the late Mayor, for votes and newspapers supplyed by James Lyons, gent., one of the six clerks in the Secys. Office; *It.*, £13 to the Coroners for as many inquests; *It.*, £10 to Mr. John Newenham, Clerk to the Mayor, for services done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Aldn. Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Bury, Crone, Philpotts, Swete, and Willcocks, C. S.

31 *Jan.*, 1763.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Aldn. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, Francklin, and Mr. Willcocks, C. S.

4 *Feb.*, 1763.

Ordered, that 20 new coal barrels be bought by Ald. Busteed; *It.*, 16*s.* to Mr. Boyle Travers for a looking-glass for the Officer's Guard Room; *It.*, 20 guineas to Mr. Will. Snowe, for attendance as Clerk of Array to the Militia in the Mayoralty of Ald. Franklin; *It.*, £24 16*s.* 1*d.* to Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer, for tyles, mason's work, coal, &c., from 15 Dec., 1761, to 22 Jan. last.

That no sallary for the future be paid the Capt. of Halberdiers.

That £14 16*s.* 3*d.* be paid Timy. Hughes, for ironwork from 19 Sep., 1760, to 10 Aug., 1762; *It.*, 11 guineas to Revd. Michl. Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, for as many Sermons preached before the Corporation from Election-day, 1761, to 5 Nov. last.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Aldn. Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Parker, and Willcocks, C. S.

19 *Feb.*, 1763.

Ordered, that the expenses (by order 6 June, 1761,) of the Mayor, on four prosecutions in the King's Bench, by Richd. Bourke, Geo. Smith, John

Stack, and John Lynch, for committing them for not paying Quarterage, be paid Ald. Wetherall; and that £250 be paid Mr. James Meade, attorney, for said prosecutor's damages and costs; *It.*, 50 guineas to Mr. Sher. Travers, so much advanced by him, in London, to Ald. Wetheral, expenses for two months from this City to London and back again, by order of this Board, to lay the state of the case relative to the Quarterage before the Attorney and Solicitor General of England, whether any relief may be had against the attachments.

Whereas the front Meat Shambles are so narrow that it is difficult for persons on market-days to pass and repass same, ordered, that the back shambles be taken into the same, and that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane and Ald. Bury be a committee to carry out same.

That 100 guineas be paid Mr. Geo. Randal, towards finishing the New Bridge from Lavit's Island to the Red Abbey Marsh, to be paid on said Randal's throwing down Cullinan's house at the Sugar-house gate, and opening a street, of which the ground said Cullinan's house now stands on is to be part, pursuant to the plan now before the Council.

That £61 18*s.* 4*d.* be paid Ald. Wetheral, expense of lawyers fees in London, on consultation of them on the right of payment of Quarterage in this City, and with regard to the attachments against him by the Court of K. B., also for his expenses for a month and a half more than the two months for which Mr. Sher. Travers advanced him 50 guineas.

It., That £266 6*s.* 7*d.* be paid the Trustees of S. Stephen's Hospital, to enable them to pay same to Ald. Westropp, Master of said hospital, balance due to him 15 Oct., 1762, four years deficiency of the annual revenues of said Hospital, to support the boys, &c.; said sum to be accounted for on the loan of £920 formerly borrowed by the Corporation for the building of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses.

It., £4 13*s.* to Andrew Coleman, tyler, for work done from 8 March, 1762.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Ald^en^. Parker, Westropp, Busteed, Bury, Swete, Hodder, Franklin, Crone, Wrixon, and Wetherall.

25 *Feb.*, 1763.

Whereas several robberies have been lately committed in this City, and Mr. Mayor having informed this Board that he intends ordering a watch in

every Parish, for the protection of the King's peace; ordered, that the expense of such Watch-houses as shall be necessary, with fire and candle-light, be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Parker, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, and Swete.

2 *April*, 1763.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Westropp, Busteed, Swete, Hodder, Wetherall, and Mr. Willcocks, C. S.

6 *May*, 1763.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane, and Ald. Bury be a committee to repair and enlarge the English Meat Market.

That £5 8*s*. be paid Messrs. Sᵗ. Leger and Franklin for ale supplied the army on the Proclamation of the Peace; *It*. £13 5*s*. 3½*d*. to Mr. Francis Penrose for timber, from 14 Oct., 1760, to 30 July, 1761; *It*., £19 7*s*. 3*d*. to Arthur Sᵗ. Clair for stone cutting work at the Fish and Frize Market; *It*., 13*s*. 6½*d*. to Mr. Mayor, paid by him for music on the Proclamation of the Peace; *It*., 5 guineas to Mr. Wᵐ. Snowe for trouble in proclaiming the present peace with France and Spain on last Easter Monday.; *It*., £2 14*s*. to the ringers of the bells of S. Mary Shandon on the birth of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, the reduction of Havannah, and the proclamation of the present peace; *It*., £11 7*s*. 6*d*. to Andrew Dalton, carpenter, for attending the building of the Fowl and Fish Markets and measuring the Slaters', Masons', Stone Cutters', Pavers', and painters' work at same; *It*., £2 1*s*. 6*d*. to Richard Sinderbee for weights supplied in the Mayoralty of Ald. Franklin and Mr. Mayor.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane be a committee to receive plans and for building a Mayoralty House on the Corporation ground on Haman's Marsh.

That Mr. Henry Wrixon, of Ballygeblin, at the request of the Mayor; John Thompson, Merchᵗ., having served William Rickatts; Giles Kite, having served Mr. Burgess Denroche; Revᵈ. Thos. Davies, Clk., eldest son of Revᵈ. Boyle Davies, Clk., *dec.*; Willᵐ. Webb, chandler, having served

Mr. Burgess Harding; Nicholas Martin, having served Thos. Hardaway, butcher; John Daniel, mariner, eldest son of Richard Daniel, *dec.*, be freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Crone, Bury, Wetherall.

6 *July*, 1763.

This day Mr. Edwᵈ. Scott, Jun., took the oath of C. S.

Ordered, that £1 10*s.* be paid John Dryhurst, painter, for painting the rails of Tuckey's Bridge and those that surround the late King's statue; *It.*, £9 18*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. John Harding, Execʳ. of Ald. Harding, *dec.*, for nails, sprigs, and wall-brads from 11 Dec., 1759, to 27 Aug., 1762; *It.*, £19 12*s.* 4½*d.* to Timʸ. Hughes for iron work for the Corporation Coal barrels; *It.*, £2 4*s.* 9½*d.* to Robᵗ. Gennix, mason, for work done; *It.*, £2 2*s.* 8*d.* to Owen Curtin, mason, for building a common sewer in Tuckey Street; *It.*, £16 9*s.* 6*d.* to Nich. Fitton, founder, work done; *It.*, £20 to Silvester Clarke, cooper, for 20 new coal barrels.

That the Corporation Gallery in S. Peter's Church be repaired, and that Mr. Mayor and Sher. Travers be a committee to see same properly executed; *It.*, £12 to the coroners for as many inquests from 22 Jan. to 28 June last.

That William Lawton, Jun., merchᵗ., having served his father, Hugh Lawton, Esq.; Benjamin Winthrop, merchᵗ., eldest son of Stephen W., merchᵗ., *dec.;* James Daltera, merchᵗ., having served Wᵐ. Rickotts, merchᵗ.; Thomas Harris, cooper, having served Mr. George Crofts, *dec.*, and Samˡ. Maylor; George, eldest son of Emanuel Pigott, Esq., *dec.;* John Pedder, merchᵗ., having served John Lawton, merchᵗ.; Francis, eldest son of Ald. Wᵐ. Busteed; Thos. Mahony, merchᵗ., having served Francis Carleton, Esq.; Peter Carey, Esq.; Francis, brother of Mr. Sheriff Travers; John Digby, merchᵗ.; Thomas Spaight, Esq., Collector of Baltimore, and brother-in-law to John Hely Hutchinson, Esq., H. M. Prime Sergeant-at-Law; Henry Martin, Esq., Capᵗ. R. N., be admitted freemen at large, and Henry Sheares, Esq., M.P., *do.*, in a Silver Box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, and Franklin.

19 *July*, 1763.

Ordered, that £19 0*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes, cloathing for the Bellmen and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £17 13*s.* 7½*d.* to Mr. Edmond Browning for Newspapers and Votes supplied from 24 June, 1762, to 24 June, 1763; *It.*, £30 to Mr. James Chatterton; *It.*, £20 for an Entertainment to be prepared at Blackrock Castle, the Mayor to direct and invite the company.

That the East half of the present Fish Shambles be set in stalls to Butchers, at a weekly rent, Mr. Mayor to oversee same.

That £32 15*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mrs. Mary Bussy for candles from 9 Nov., 1761, to 9 May last.

Rev^d^. Doctor Chinnery, Deane of Cork, be presented with his freedom; John Longfield, of Longueville, Esq., Joseph Hoare, M.P., in a Silver Box; Newman White, gent.; Richard, eldest son of Robert Ashe, merch^t^., *dec.*; Benj. Williamson, gent., son-in-law to Ald. Philpott; and Ruby Upton, merch^t^., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Sher. Lane; Ald^en^. Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Owgan, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

30 *July*, 1763.

That John, son of Christopher Carleton, Burgess, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Crone, Wrixon, Swete, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

2 *Aug.*, 1763.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Ald^en^. Jackson, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

5 *Aug.*, 1763.

Whereas an application is intended to be made next Session of Parliament for liberty to build a Bridge across the North Channel of the river Lee below the Custom House of this City, which would be highly destructive to the trade and navigation of this City, ordered, that a Memorial be

prepared to the House of Commons in the name of the Mayor, &c., to oppose same, and that the agent, at the expense of the City, fee proper lawyers to draw up said Memorial to be transmitted to our members to oppose same, and the several members of Parliament that are Freemen of same, for their interest against the application.

That the Gateage tolls (except Turf, Furze, &c.), the Fish and Corn Market dues, North and South Milk Market, *do.*, be set to cant 5 Sep. next, and that in setting the Gateage tolls the North and South Watch houses be excluded.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Newman, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

"We whose names are underwritten, do dissent from the order of Council of this day, in relation to the building of a bridge over the river Lee, near the Custom house, for the following reasons:

"*First*, as we are convinced the number of inhabitants of this City are so prodigiously increased of late years, that it is with danger of their lives they can pass and repass the present North Bridge, the avenues to it, down Mallow lane in particular, being so extremely dangerous and difficult, and so narrow that carriages and foot passengers are frequently obstructed, and people put in danger of their lives.

"*Secondly*, as it is a notorious fact that the more communications any trading city has with the neighbouring country, the more rich and populous it must grow by the easy intercourse of the country; and as the Butter trade is of the utmost consequence to this City and Country, and is at present greatly obstructed by the passages aforesaid, for want of a second Bridge, we are of opinion, that if a second bridge was built near the Custom House, with lifting Bridges at each end, it would make a safe and easy passage for the Butter, Beef, and all other commodities which principally come from the North side of the country to that part of the City where the greatest number of the principal merchants live, in a straight line from Blackpool to the Bridge, without coming through Mallow Lane aforesaid. Dated August 5, 1763. Ad^m^. Newman, Phin^s^. Bury."

9 *Aug.*, 1763.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Jackson, Winthrop, Hodder, Swete, and Mr. E. Scott, C. S.

13 *Aug.*, 1763.

Ordered, that the petty customs of the North and South Shambles, standings outside North and South gates, petty customs of root, potatoe, fowl, butter, frize, bandle cloth, &c., be set up by public cant on the Exchange 10 Sep., no standings to be on any of the Bridges, Main Street, North and South Gates, or in any of the streets or quarters within the gates.

Ordered, that a Mayoralty House be built for the habitation of the Mayors of this City, on the ground on Haman's Marsh, expenses out of the revenues of the City, and that Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Travers, Ald^en^. Newman, Wetherall, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee for approving of a proper plan for carrying out same.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane, and Ald^en^. Wetherall view a piece of vacant ground adjoining the Potatoe Quay belonging to Mr. Browne, and report whether same will answer for a root, fruit, and potatoe market.

That £1 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid Rich^d^. Bagwell, painter, for painting the Corporation Gallery in S. Peter's Church.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

13 *Sep.*, 1763.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Lane; Ald^en^. Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Crone, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

16 *Sep.*, 1763.

That a salary of £60 be paid the Waterbailiff for one year, to receive the Mayor's dues, account quarterly, deducting the expenses of a Deputy, and give security.

That £14 19*s.* 7*d.* be paid Mr. Henry Rugge, vintner, expenses of the entertainment at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £9 7*s.* 2*d.* to the Mayor, expenses

paid a Collier and Labourers for searching for a coal mine on the lands of Droumcumer belonging to the Corporation.

That Mr. John Harding, merch^{t}., and his assistants be empowered to carry away all dung left in the Public streets and lanes from Newgate to Hillgrove's house, North Suburbs.

Whereas the passage from Mallow Lane to the North Bridge called Goulnaspurragh is so narrow that passengers, horses and carriages can scarcely pass and repass on Market days, and a great part of the cattle and butter brought into this City for exportation pass through said passage, and as there are several small shops and houses on the South East side of said passage from the North East end of said Bridge to the west corner of the front of Mr. Browne's house, which, if taken down, would so enlarge said passage as to make it fit for the trade of this City, which yields a very large revenue to his Majesty, and as the funds of the Corporation are not sufficient (with the annual expense attending same) to purchase said houses and shops, ordered, that a Memorial be prepared to the House of Commons praying the aid of Parliament to purchase same in order to enlarge said passage for the conveniency of the public.

That £5 be paid Tho. Dyer, glazier, an infirm and reduced freeman.

That Rich^{d}. Beazly, who hath taken the tolls of the Corn Market, be allowed out of his last quarter's rent, £11, which one Felix Carthy bid over said Beazly for said tolls, and then declared he bid same for Beazly, although Beazly gave him no such directions.

That Nicholas Wrixon, gent., Corporation Agent in Dublin, be admitted free at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Ald^{en}. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wetherall, and Scott, C. S.

20 *Sep.*, 1763.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^{m}. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Ald^{en}. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Bury, Wetherall, and Franklin.

24 *Sep.*, 1763.

This day the Mayor Elect took the oath of a Common Council man.

That a lease of the vacant piece of ground adjoining the Potatoe quay, belonging to Henry Langford Browne, Esq., be taken by the Mayor, &c., to erect a market, or for other purposes, same to be taken for the longest term said Browne can set, at a yearly rent of £18.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Travers; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, and Scott, C. S.

14 *Oct.*, 1763.

John Smith, Esq., Mayor.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Coles; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Westropp, Winthrop, Crone, Busteed, Bury, Franklin, and Scott, C. S.

19 *Oct.*, 1763.

This day Francis Rowland and Wᵐ. Coles, Esqʳˢ., took the oath of Common Council men.

That His Excell. Hugh, Earl of Northumberland, Lo.-Lieut. of this Kingdom, be presented with his freedom in a Gold box.

That the Revᵈ. Charles Dodgson, first Chaplain to his Excellency, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

This day Will. Busteed, Esq., Waterbailiff, produced his account of Waterdues from 29 Sep., 1762, to 29 Sep., 1763, with his affidavit at foot, by which it appears he paid the Chamberlain £137 7*s.* 10*d.* over his salary and expenses.

That Peter Guitton, merchᵗ., having served Mess. Maturin and Peter Ardowin, merchᵗˢ., be admitted free.

That £18 2*s.* 6*d.* be paid the late Mayor, for 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, £1 16*s.* 6½*d.* to Richᵈ. Evans, Exchange porter, for brooms, &c.; *It.*, £19 17*s.* 1½*d.* to Richᵈ. Burt, for plumbing; *It.*, £41 4*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Nicholas Wrixon, for law business.

That the Agent for this Corporation employ Counᶜʳˢ. Bennett and Virling to draw up the heads of an Act of Parliament, for the use of this City, as the enlightening thereof with lamps, to peruse the laws made for

Dublin, and extract such as may be useful for this City, and amending the law past last Session for collecting public moneys.

Whereas the Act passed 33 year of his late Majy. for enlightning the several cities in this kingdom is found insufficient for this City, and an application is intended to be made for an Act to enlighten this City, and other purposes, in which application will be made for a clause to reimburse this Corporation for any money they may advance for enlightening this City for the ensueing winter; ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland, Ald. Westropp and Franklin, with such of the C. D. H., be a committee for erecting lamps until 1 April, the expenses to be paid out of the revenues of the Corporation.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Coles; Aldn. Jackson, Parker, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

10 *Dec.*, 1763.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Coles; Aldn. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Franklin, and Mr. C. S.

13 *Dec.*, 1763.

This day the heads of a Bill for better regulating the City and Co. of the City of Cork, drawn by Counc. Verling and Bennett, were read, and ordered to be sent to Mr. Nich. Wrixon, Corpn. Agent in Dublin, to attend the representatives, and get same passed into a law.

That £800 be borrowed from Ald. Hodder, at 5 pounds for one hundred by the year, that the Mayor, &c., execute a bond under the City Seal for same; ordered, that said sum be employed for erecting lamps in this City from time to time.

That Lewellin Nash, Esq., Mr. John Beare, mercht., Mr. William Butler, at the request of Mr. Mayor, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Aldn. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, and Franklin.

29 *Dec.*, 1763.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en. Westropp, Crone, Hodder, Philpott, Bury, and Mr. C. S.

10 *Jan.*, 1764.

Ordered, that £17 2*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Roger Ouldin, mason, for work done; *It.*, £11 19*s.* 7*d.* to Andrew Coleman, tyler, for work done; *It.*, £9 9*s.* to Jeremiah Hogan, for stones and brick; *It.*, £4 16*s.* 6½*d.* to William Whitney, upholsterer, for new covering the Corporation Gallery in S. Peter's Church; *It.*, £2 16*s.* to Rev^d. Mich^l. Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, to buy a new Tippet; *It.*, £31 4*s.* 3½*d.* to William Harrington, Ship Carpenter, for repairing the Corporation boat, and erecting two new spits in the harbour below Cove.

That Mr. Sher. Rowland and Coles, Ald^en. Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Swete, and Bury, be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts.

That £41 16*s.* 10½*d.* be paid W^m. Reynolds, silversmith, for the Gold box in which his freedom was presented to the Lord Lieutenant.

William Taylor, Tallow chandler, having served George Johnson, *do.*; and Greatrakes Smith, mercht., having served Rich^d. Lawton, *do.*, freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Swete, Bury, Philpott, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

10 *Feb.*, 1764.

That the Rt. Hon. Will. Henry Fortescue, Esq., Post Master Gen. of Ireland, and James Smith, Esq., Captain of His Maj. Ship Hussar, stationed on this coast, be presented with their freedom in Silver boxes.

This day a plan was laid before the Council of a Bridge to be built over the North Channel of the river Lee, below the Custom House, unanimously rejected, as of the highest detriment to the trade and inhabitants of this City.

That £18 3*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Ald. Hodder, for silversmith's work done by him; *It.*, £4 to Mr. John Wood, for one year's rent of Blackpool Guardhouse.

That Francis Woodley, gent, son-in-law to Ald. Hodder, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, Swete, Bury, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

13 *March*, 1764.

No business this day.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Coles; Alden. Jackson, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Hodder, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Philpott, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

16 *March*, 1764.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present — Mr. Mayor; Aldeu. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Philpott, Swete, Bury, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

19 *March*, 1764.

Whereas Mr. Mayor received a letter from Rt. Hon. Will. Gerrard Hamilton, Esq., Sec. to the Lord Lieut., dated Dublin Castle, 8 March inst., setting forth that his Excellency received information upon oath that a riotous mob to the amount of 500 and upwards had assembled 27 Feb. last, in the City of Corke, and with drums beating and trumpets sounding, marched through several parts of the City, threatening the lives of the persons appointed to collect the subsidies of alnage, and vowing a resolution to oppose the payment of that part of his Maj. revenue. Now we, the Mayor, &c., to discover said offenders, offer a reward of 50 guineas to such as within six months shall prosecute to conviction any one or more of said offenders; and that Mr. Mayor do write to the Secy., setting forth that the Council has published a Proclamation, and that the Justices of the Peace, &c., will exert themselves to quell all riotous assemblies in the City, and that the persons appointed to collect the alnage have not offered to give any information against the offenders of 27 Feb. last.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Coles; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

23 *March*, 1764.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Aldn. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

30 *March*, 1764.

That Marcus Patterson, Esq., one of the Lords Justices of Assize for the Munster Circuit, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Coles; Aldn. Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

17 *April*, 1764.

That William, eldest son of Rt. Hon. John Ponsonby, Speaker of the House of Commons, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

That £108 18*s.* 11*d.* be paid Mr. Wm. Snowe, Not. Pub., for law business, from Nov., 1760, to July, 1763.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Aldn. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Franklin, Wrixon, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

27 *April*, 1764.

That £19 16*s.* 8*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes, for cloathing for the Bellmen and Exchange Porter.

Valentine, eldest son of William Johnson, mercht., *dec.;* Phillip Bennett, apothecary, having served Charles Waddington, *do.*, and Collville Moore, Esq., Collector of Excise for the district of Cork, to be freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Coles; Aldn. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

16 *May*, 1764.

That £26 be paid for as many inquests from 8 Aug. last to 3 April last.

That the Revd. John Meade, Clk., eldest son of Rev. Wm. Meade, *dec.*, late Dean of Corke; Christopher Waggett, mercht., having served William Waggett, mercht., be admitted free.

That the arms in the Armory, for which no bonds were passed, be returned to His Maj. Storekeeper of the City of Corke.

Benj. Winthrop, merch^t., having served Ald. Winthrop, a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, John Wrixon, Winthrop, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

23 *May*, 1764.

That the Rt. Hon. Will., Earl of Shelburn, and the Rt. Hon. Will., Earl of Dunmore, be presented with their freedom, in Silver boxes.

John, only son of Rich^d. Newenham, clothier, a freeman at large.

That the Chamberlain cause all rent and arrears due to the Corporation to be sued for at law, and also for the future.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Coles; Ald^en. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Crone, Busteed, Hodder, Swete, John Wrixon, Franklin, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

19 *June*, 1764.

Whereas a motion depends in the C. C. Pleas touching the validity of the attachments that issue forth of the Tholsell Court of this City, ordered, that the Prime Sargeant, Anthony Malone, Esq., the Att^y.-General, and John Fitz-Gibbon, Esq. (with others already engaged) be employed to support the validity of said attachments.

Agreed, that for seven years no persons be admitted freemen at large as Esq^rs. only, who have no claim by Birth-Right or Servitude, without being referred to C. D. H., except Lords, Judges, Com. of H. M. Revenue, M.P.'s, Generals, Admirals, and Captains of Men-of-war, or persons equal in rank.

Ordered, that Abraham Devonshire, Esq., Christopher Carleton, Esq., Riggs Falkiner, Esq., Robert Gordon, Esq., and Mr. Stephen Mills have liberty to build a Bridge at their own expense from the Corporation Slip on the Sand Quay, across the channel to the island belonging to said Gentlemen, provided they leave therein an arch sufficient for a large lighter to pass through, and they make a slip near said Bridge on the Sand Quay convenient for the public to take water.

It is agreed, that it will be of use to the Corporation to agree by the year with a tyler and carpenter for the repairs of the Corn Market, City Meat

Shambles, Cattle Market-house, stable and linneys, North and South Shambles, Fish *do.*, Fowl and Frize Market, and the two watch-houses. Proposals will be received by Mr. Mayor.

That Thomas, eldest son of Roger Williams, gent., *dec.*, be admitted free.

Ordered, that 20 guineas be paid Counrs. Verling and Bennett for drawing the draft of the last act of Parliament.

"This day received Martin's lease of the White Tower out of the chest.—Wm. Snowe." (Note on Margin).

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Aldn. Jackson, Newman, Owgan, Winthrop, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Mr. Scott, C. S.

31 *July*, 1764.

This day Mr. Saml. Bagwell, as C. S., took the oath of secrecy.

Ordered, that an entertainment be provided at Blackrock to-morrow, being 1 Aug., that Mr. Mayor provide same, not to exceed 20 pounds.

We, the Mayor, &c., in pursuance of an act of Parliament made in 3 year of his Majy. reign, do hereby direct the building of parapet walls of the height of four feet, and breadth not exceeding two feet, on the several quays and on the edges of the several dykes and canals of the City and suburbs, leaving proper openings convenient for the shipping and landing goods and merchandises as mentioned in the act, and we direct the Clerk of the Council or his deputy to give notice to the chief tenants dwelling in the several houses or occupying the cellars and other buildings on said quays and dykes, and in case said houses be wasted or any part of the ground fronting said quays, canals, or dykes be unbuilt, to the owner interested therein, before whose ground such wall is to be built, to build said parapet wall within the time mentioned in the act under penalty.

That £56 10*s.* 11*d.* be paid Ald. Westropp, Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, so much paid by him for the use of said Hospital, to be accounted for on the loan of £900 from said hospital to the Corporation; *It.*, 6 guineas to the Revd. Mr. Michael Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, for six sermons preached before the Corporation; *It.*, £99 6*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. Nich. Wrixon, atty., for law business from Mich., 1763, to Hil., 1764.

Paul Piersy, mercht., having served Messrs. James and George Piersy, Merchts.; John Day, mercht., having served Mr. Burgess Lane, to be free.

That 100 Barrels of coal be bought for the use of the Corporation.

That £37 6*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Bickford Heard, atty., costs for defending the validity of the attachments of this City in the Court of C. P.

Rev^d^. Thos. Browne, Clk., eldest son of Mr. Burgess Browne, and grandson of Ald. Jackson, at the particular request of Ald. Jackson, and Thomas Butler, Esq., freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, and Mr. Bagwell, C. S.

15 *Aug.*, 1764.

This day Mr. Mayor Elect, Ald^en^. Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Mr. Izod, Baker, and Cossart were appointed to settle the public accounts from 29 Sep., 1761, to 29 Sep., 1762; they report a balance of £247 10*s.* 3*d.* due to the Corporation from Mr. F. Carleton, Chamberlain.

This day Mr. Mayor Elect, Mr. Sher. Rowland, Ald. Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, Mr. Izod and Scott were appointed to settle the public accounts from 29 Sep., 1762, to 29 Sep., 1763; they report a balance of £155 3*s.* 1¾*d.* due from said Carleton to the Corporation.

That £25 19*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Andrew Coleman, tyler; *It.*, that Robert Wrixon be forgiven his bond for £18 15*s.*, as he is a very poor man, and has nothing to subsist on but a pension of 7 pounds a year, as an old soldier; *It.*, two guineas to each of the two constables, one guinea to the corporal, and half a guinea to each of the soldiers, for their good behaviour in conducting in July last to the prison a notorious rioter, when they were attacked by a most riotous mob; *It.*, £17 13*s.* 7½*d.* to Mr. Mayor, so much paid by him for English and Irish newspapers and votes of the House of Commons; *It.*, £40 pounds for building a small kitchen and stable at Blackrock, and that Mr. Mayor and Ald. Busteed oversee the work; *It.*, £30 to Mr. James Chatterton, one of the Burgesses; *It.*, two guineas to Mortho Connor for summoning several committees and the applotters of public money for two years past.

That Nicholas Lysaght, Esq., son-in-law to Mr. Sher. Elect Wrixon, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en^. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Winthrop, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, and Wrixon.

31 *Aug.*, 1764.

That the Gateage Tolls (except Turf, Furz, &c.,) Fish, Corn, North and South Milk Market dues, Petty customs of the North Shambles, standings outside South Gate, petty customs of the root, potatoe, foul, egg, butter, frize, and bandle cloth Markets be set by public cant for one year on 30 Sep.

That £11 5*s.* be paid Mr. Sher. Rowland, costs of the Sheriffs in the Court of C. P., in support of the attachments that issue out of the Tholsel Court; *It.*, £7 6*s.* 3½*d.* to Phineas and George Bagnell, for printing work from 12 Jan. to 25 Aug., 1763.

Whereas Ald. Wm. Harding, *dec.*, took the Gateage Tolls of this City for one year for a rent of £1460, and it appears he received no more than £1368 1*s.* 8*d.* over and above servants' wages, ordered, the Executors be forgiven £91 18*s.* 4*d.*

That Domk. Sarsfield, Richd. Meade, Henry Mannix, Jun., and Hugh Carleton, Esq., Councilrs.-at-Law, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Aldcn. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, and John Wrixon.

8 *Sep.*, 1764.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Aldcn. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Bury, and Wetherall.

19 *Sep.*, 1764.

Ordered, that a salary of £60 be paid the Waterbailiff for one year, to receive the Mayor's dues, Corporation *do.*, and quarterly pay the Chamberlain, deducting expenses for deputys, &c.; *It.*, £17 6*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Wm. Reynolds, silversmith, for work done; *It.*, £19 1*s.* 7*d.* to Henry Rugge, Vintner, expenses of the Entertainment at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug.; *It.*, £7 18*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. James Chatterton, atty., lawyer's fees, and attending the Justices of the Peace on several prosecutions against journeymen tradesmen of this City for combinations; *It.*, 2 guineas to Arthur Warner and James Walsh, Sheriffs' bailiffs, for their trouble in apprehending several journeymen tradesmen of this City who were guilty of combinations.

Whereas Edwd. Chamberlain, butcher, owes the Corporation £32 15*s.* on account of rent of the South Meat Shambles and standings outside South Gate, and it appearing that said Chamberlain is very poor, ordered, he be forgiven.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Coles; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, and Mr. Bagwell, C. S.

26 *Sep.*, 1764.

Ordered, that Francis Carleton, Esq., be allowed £50 a year for his trouble as Chamberlain; *It.*, £15 to the Coroners for 15 inquests from 7 May to 11 Sep. last.

That Barth. Coote Purdon, Esq., son-in-law to Mr. Sheriff elect Wrixon, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Coles; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetheral, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Mr. Bagwell, C. S.

5 *Nov.*, 1764.

Boyle Travers, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs were sworn Common Council Men.

This day William Busteed, Esq., Waterbailiff, produced his account of dues received from 29 Sep, 1763, to 29 Sep., 1764, by which it appeareth he paid in to the Chamberlain £160 12*s.* 9*d.* over and above his salary and expenses.

That 10 guineas be paid Kean Mahony for his trouble in canting the Corporation revenues.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Aldᵉⁿ. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Bury, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Philpott.

14 *Nov.*, 1764.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor sign a receipt for £120, English money, due from the Vintners' Company of London for five years' annuity due to Skiddy's Alms house ending 29 Sep. last, the Mayor to give the receipt to Francis Carleton, Esq., agent for said alms house.

This day the Council licenced Thomas Osburne, during his good be-

haviour, to buy coals and keep a coal cellar in Harpur's Lane, on account of the charitable subscription for buying and selling coals for the benefit of the poor.

That Sir John Meade, Bart., be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Crone, Robᵗ. Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Wetherall.

24 *Nov.*, 1764.

This day Anthony Lane, Esq., was unanimously elected Not. Pub. Clerk of the Crown and Peace for the City and County of the City of Cork, in the room of Robᵗ. Hoare, Esq., *dec.*, to hold during his good behaviour.

This day said Anthʸ. Lane was unanimously elected Clerk of the Council in the room of said Robᵗ. Hoare, *dec.*, and sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that a C. D. H. be held for the City and Co. of the City of Corke on Monday, 3 Dec., to elect a Town Clerk or Common Clerk for this City and Co. in the room of said Robᵗ. Hoare.

That £1 13*s.* 7*d.* be paid Richᵈ. Evans, Exchange Porter, in full.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldᵉⁿ. Atkins, Jackson, Westropp, Robᵗ. Wrixon, Busteed, Smith, Wetherall, John Wrixon, Newman, Franklin, Bury, Parker, and Philpott.

13 *Dec.*, 1764.

Whereas at Oct. Sessions, 1764, Cornelius Casey, journeyman cooper, was tryed and convicted for permitting several journeymen Coopers to assemble at his house to make certain rules, &c., of their own, which rules are contrary to the statute in that case provided, and highly detrimental to the trade of this City. Therefore the Mayor, &c., do offer a reward of £50 to any person who within six months shall lodge said Casey in any of His Majʸˢ. gaols in this kingdom.

Ordered, that 25 guineas be paid Mr. Kevan Izod, being the Corporation's proportion of their first payment towards the watering of this City.

That James Power, shipwright, having served William Evans, *do.*, be admitted free.

That the Mayor be appointed to sweep the street from the Exchange to South Gate; John Smith, Esq., *do.*, from the Exchange to North Gate and Water Gate lane; Ald. Bury, *do.*, Castle Street, the Corn Market, Potatoe Quay, and the Mall; Mr. John Travers, *do.*, Tuckey Street, George's Street; and Moses Newsom, *do.*, from North Gate Bridge to North Abbey.

That Matthias, eldest son of Ald. Matthias Smith, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Alden. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Rob. Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Smith, Wetherall, Franklin, John Wrixon, Bury, Crone, Swete, and Parker.

7 *Jan.*, 1765.

Ordered, that £18 11s. 7½*d.* be paid Horatio Ireland, ironmonger, for iron work, from 7 June, 1763, to 19 Dec., 1764.

That the Rt. Hon. Robt. Nugent, Esq., be presented with his freedom in a Gold box, for his great attention to trade, and the Rt. Hon. the Prime Sargeant, one of our members, is requested to forward same; Henry Baldwin, of Curravady, Esq., at the request of Mr. Mayor; Jonathan Tanner, Esq., Provost of Bandon; and George Winter, merch^t., having served George Winter, be admitted free.

That £7 5s. 3½*d.* be paid Robert Ouldin, for mason's work from Jan. 28, to Dec. 5, 1764.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Alden. Jackson, Newman, Robt. Wrixon, Crone, Philpott, Wetherall, Bury, Swete, John Wrixon, Franklin, and the Recorder.

9 *April*, 1765.

Ordered, that the two houses near the Fowl Market, now in the tenancy of Wm. Johnson and Wm. Callaghan, be set by public cant for 7 years on 20 inst.

That a deed of indemnity be given Sir Robt. Deane, Bart., by the Mayor, &c., on paying the Chamberlain £1200 left by the will of Moses Deane, *dec.*, for Charitable uses, for which Charity the Council and the Ministers and Church Wardens of some of the parishes in this City are trustees.

That James Gubbins, merch^t., having served Ald. Robt. and John Wrixon; Humphry Crowly, clothier, having served John Allen, *dec.*, and Francis

Allen, *do.;* and John Wrixon, merch^{t}., eldest son of Ald. Robt. Wrixon, be admitted free.

That £1 17*s.* 9*d.* be paid Thomas Cochran, cabinet maker, for six oak chairs and an oak table for Main Guard room; *It.,* £4 19*s.* 6*d.* to W^{m}. Rogers, brazier, for scales and weights; *It.,* £17 for as many inquests from 11 Sep. last; *It.,* a ballance of £138 16*s.* 7½*d.* remains due to Norton Parr, for erecting lamps over and above the sum of £800 already paid, which was borrowed from Ald. Hodder; *It.,* £14 14*s.* 7*d.* to Messrs. Phineas and George Bagnell, for printing and stationary to 31 Oct.

That Mr. Peter Cossart shall have liberty to enlarge his quay in the Draw bridge dock in a straight line with the Quay of Francis Carleton, Esq.

That Francis Carleton, Esq., Hugh Lawton, Esq., and Mr. Peter Cossart have liberty to fill up 18 feet of the upper end of the Dock that runs between their concerns to the street leading to Paul's street.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler, Ald. Westropp, Robt. Wrixon, Philpot and Bury be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts.

That £6 be paid Mr. John Wood for one year and a half's rent of the Guard-house at Blackpool.

That Mr. Sher. Wrixon and Butler, Mr. Burgess Izod and Baker, and Mr. John Lapp be added to the Committee for building the Mayoralty House on Haman's Marsh.

That each of the Sheriffs for the future be paid 50 guineas for his trouble, &c.

That the stall in the English Shambles, No. 16, be set by public cant.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Ald^{en}. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Swete, Crone, John Wrixon, and Mr. Bagwell, C. S.

29 *April,* 1765.

That Stalls Nos. 10 and 30 in the English Shambles be set by public cant on the Exchange to the highest bidder, being a Protestant butcher, for one year.

That £14 2*s.* 9½*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes for cloathing for the Bellmen and 'Change Porter; *It.,* £46 16*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. W^{m}. Reynolds, for goldsmith and silversmith's work done by him from 1 Oct. to 16 March last.

That a letter be written to the Sec. of their Excell. the Lords Justices, setting forth the dearness of Corn, Meal, and Potatoes in this City, owing to exportation to foreign parts, and praying that a stop may be put to it.

That a further sum of £40 be paid the Committee for the building at Blackrock.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, John Wrixon, Mr. Bagwell, C. S.

Rec^d^. out of the chest counterpart of Ald. John Hawkins and Tho. Rely's leases.—W^m^. Snowe.

4 *May*, 1765.

That in future the Stalls in the English and Irish Meat Shambles be set by public cant, the leases to be executed in open C. D. H., signed by the Mayor, &c., and to have the City seal affixed.

That the Waterbailiffs of this City do not pass any ships or goods free from the Water-dues of this Corporation, as the property of Freemen of this City, unless the Freemen owning the same, or having the same consigned to them on commission, send the Waterbailiff, or his Deputy, free notes for the same, as is done in the collection of the Gateage duty.

That a linney, 8 or 9 feet wide, be built on the North side, and also on the South side, of the piece of ground lately taken by the Corporation from Henry Langford Browne, Esq., to be converted into a root or such other market as may be of use to the Public, and that Ald. Swete and Bury be a committee to carry out same.

It has been reported to this board that there is a defect in the Act made for supplying this City with water, for that no security is made thereby for the persons that shall advance their money in doing said work, to entitle them to the profits that may arise from the money to be paid by the inhabitants of this City, who shall contract to have their houses supplied with water; ordered, that an application be made to Parliament at the next Sessions for an amendment of said Act, and that Ald. Westropp and Wrixon be a committee to consider same.

That Ald. Franklin, Sher. Wrixon and Butler be a committee to get maps drawn of the Lough and Old Market place.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Swete.

25 *May*, 1765.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Alden. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Crone, Wrixon, and Philpott.

19 *June*, 1765.

Whereas several persons have unlawfully trespassed on the Corporation ground at the Lough, by digging up the soil and carrying away same; ordered, that suits be commenced against such persons.

That £36 be paid Mr. Timothy Hughes for ironwork from 25 Aug., 1762, to 19 Dec., 1764; *It.*, £8 4*s.* 8*d.* to Geo. Busteed, for printing-work; *It.*, £11 3*s.* 11½*d.* to Mr. Mayor, for sending to their respective homes the wives of the soldiers lately embarked from this City; *It.*, £2 6*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. Sher. Wrixon, for work done at the Lough.

That George Bruce, Esq., Counc. at Law; Hugh, eldest son of Revd. Thos. Millerd, *dec.*; and John, eldest son of John Longfield, Esq., *dec.*, be admitted free.

Whereas several inhabitants of this City have neglected to build their parapet walls, notwithstanding the several public notices given them to do so in the Newspapers; ordered, that the Clerk of the Council draw notices to be served on said inhabitants, and the penalties inflicted by said act to be levied in case said parapet walls be not built.

That a further sum of £40 be paid to the committee for the building at Blackrock.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Butler; Alden. Jackson, Westropp, Winthrop, Millerd, Crone, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, and John Wrixon.

27 *July*, 1765.

This day Mr. Charles Denroch took the oath of Common Speaker in Council.

That £20 be paid Mr. Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock, on 1 Aug.

That the Council Chamber be painted, and that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler oversee same.

That the necessary house and dirt hole of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Almshouses be repaired, and that Rev^d. Mich. Tisdal oversee same.

That the £250 left by Mr. Thresher for preaching an occasional Sermon, which was lent to Mr. John Garrat, and lately paid, be lent at interest, £200 to Henry Mannix, Jun., and £50 to Henry Mannix, Esq., giving security to the Mayor, &c.; *It.*, £25 16*s.* 5*d.* to Mrs. Mary Bussy, for candles for the Guard-houses, from 17 June, 1763, to 31 May last, inclusive; *It.*, 5 guineas to Mary, widow of James Daniels, *dec.*, many years one of the Sergeants at Mace, being in great distress, and having a large charge of children.

That the dispute between the Corporation and Mr. John Harding, relative to quayage taken by Harding in the Potatoe dock be referred to two lawyers, and in case of disagreement to an umpire lawyer.

That George, eldest son of Ald. Hodder, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Butler; Ald^en. Jackson, Parker, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Philpott, and Mr. Denroche, C. S.

10 *Aug.*, 1765.

That £18 10*s.* 4*d.* be paid Mr. Edmond Browning, for one year's Newspapers and Votes of the House of Commons of England; *It.*, That a further sum of £40 be paid for building at Blackrock; *It.*, 18*s.* 1*d.* to Mr. Mayor, so much paid the soldiers that were sent to suppress a riot at Blackpool.

That Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer, buy 100 barrels of coal.

"Rec^d. out of the Chest the patent for fairs at the Lough; The fee farm grant of the Lough from the Corporation to Mr. W^m. Masters, by lease and release, and the fee farm regrant of the same from said Masters to the Corporation by lease and release."—W^m. Snowe.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Ald^en. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

22 *Aug.*, 1765.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Aldn. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, and John Wrixon.

24 *Aug.*, 1765.

That Revd. Wm. Nash, eldest son of Llewellin Nash, Esq., *dec.*, and Christr. Menton, butcher, having served James Bennett, *do.*, be admitted free.

That two guineas be paid Mortho Connor, for his trouble in summoning for several years several committees.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler, and Ald. Philpot, with those of C. D. H., be a committee to repair the North Bridge; *It.*, £50 to each of the Sheriffs, to be by each of them laid out in the purchase of a piece of plate to be engraved with the Arms of this City, and to be inscribed: "The Gift of the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Commonalty of the City of Corke, to each of said Sheriffs, for his good services to this City during his Sheriffship."

That the inside part of the North Meat Shambles be applied for one year for a market for the sale of linnen yarn.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Aldn. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Mr. Denroche, C. S.

6 *Sep.*, 1765.

Ordered, that the Gateage Tolls (except the Toll of Turf, &c.), Linnen, and Linnen yarn, the Fish Market, Corn, North and South Milk Market dues, Petty-customs of North and South Shambles, with standings outside North and South Gates, Root, Potatoe, Fowl, Egg, Butter, Frize, and Bandle Cloth Market be set to public cant to the highest bidder.

That a Salary of £60 be paid to the Waterbailiff; *It.*, 5 guineas to Revd. Mr. Michl. Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, for as many Sermons preached by him before the Corporation; *It.*, £43 to Ferdinand Weber, for work done in the organ at Christ Church, over and above his contract; *It.*, £70 10*s.* to the gentlemen appointed for erecting the organ in Christ Church, in

order to complete said organ; *It.*, £12 16*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. James Chatterton, Atty., his bill of cost for attending Aldᵉⁿ. Newman, Busteed, and Bury, several days, drawing warrants, &c., against several coopers, &c., for unlawful combinations, and other disturbers of the public peace; *It.*, £7 18*s.* to the two Watchmen appointed by Mr. Mayor to guard the ground at the Lough from trespassers.

That Mr. George Sealy, mercht., be admitted free; Robt. Walker, Esq., M.P. for Dundalk, who has now the charge of the Collection of the port of Corke, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box; and John Lindsay, gent., be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

24 *Sep.*, 1765.

That £1 10*s.* 10*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor (expended over and above £20) for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle.

Whereas this City is greatly infested with beggars and begging children, for want of a Charter School; it is therefore ordered, that a sufficient quantity of the Corporation ground at the Lough be granted to the Governors of the Charter Schools for erecting a Charter School thereon, and for a garden to the same, and Ald. Westropp, Sher. Wrixon and Butler, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to prepare a plan of ground necessary for the aforesaid purposes.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, John Wrixon, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

28 *Sep.*, 1765.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Butler; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Wrixon, Bury, Wetherall, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

30 *Sep.*, 1765.

Whereas several of the inhabitants have applied for lamps to light them this winter at their own expense, ordered, that a lamp be delivered to each

inhabitant, passing a promissory note to the Mayor for the value of the Lamp.

Present—Boyle Travers, Mayor; Hen. Wrixon and Will. Butler, Sheriffs; Will. Owgan, Rob. Wrixon, John Smith, Charles Denroch, C. S.

William Parks, Esq., Mayor.

3 *Oct.*, 1765.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs took their oaths as Common Council men.

The late Mayor, Sheriffs, Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Mr. Burgess Izod and Hugh Jameson being a committee for settling the Public Accounts from 29 Sep., 1763, to 29 Sep., 1764, and report that a balance of £191 4*s.* 3¼*d.* is due to Mr. Carleton from the Corporation to said date.

Whereas an anonymous letter was on the night of the 1 Oct. thrown into the house of Mr. Edwᵈ. Creed, of Mallow Lane, clothier, threatening to take away his life, ordered, that £50 be paid to any person who within three months shall prosecute the author of said letter.

That Edward Herbert, Esq., M.P. for Ludlow, and Edwᵈ. Herbert, Jun., Esq., M.P. for Tralee, be presented with their freedom in silver boxes.

That £30 be paid Mr. James Chatterton, on his promise not to apply for any further sum: *It.*, £7 18*s.* 3*d.* to Eugene Sweney, for printing-work from Nov., 1764, to May, 1765; *It.*, £1 11*s.* 6½*d.* to Richard Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Wilcocks; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Wetherall, Franklin, John Wrixon, John Smith, Bury, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

15 *Oct.*, 1765.

£6 13*s.* 8*d.* to Richᵈ. Burt, plumber.

Whereas an order of this Board, 19 June last, for prosecuting several persons for trespassing on the Corporation ground at the Lough, by digging up and carrying away the soil. The Common Speaker this day informed the Board that the Freemen at large, assembled yesterday at a C. D. H., unanimously desired him to request this Board to have said order revoked; referred it to the C. D. H.

That Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks, Ald^en^. Westropp, Robt. Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts.

That the Rt. Hon. Lord Brandon, now in this City, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box; also the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Carrick in a Silver box, in testimony of his Lordship signalizing himself in support of the Protestant religion.

Whereas James Curtin, now in gaol for £63, all of which he is not able to pay, ordered, that Curtin, paying £23 and passing his bond for £10 half-yearly, be discharged.

That a further sum of £40 be paid for finishing the building at Blackrock.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, John Wrixon, John Smith, Philpott, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

19 *Oct.*, 1765.

Whereas Sir Robt. Deane hath paid £1200 left by the will of Moses Deane, Esq., for purchasing an estate in fee simple in Co. Corke, for schooling, cloathing and providing for 20 Boys and 20 Maids in the parish of S. Peter in this City, and of which bequest the Mayor, Sheriffs, Common Speaker, and Common Council of this City, the Ministers and Church Wardens of the Parishes of S. Peter, S. Mary Shandon, Christ Church, and S. Nicholas are appointed overseers, ordered, that £50 a year be paid out of the Corporation revenues for the support of said boys and maids, until a convenient purchase be had, pursuant to said will; and further, that Ald. Hodder be paid off the debt (out of said money) due to him from the Corporation.

This day Ald. Busteed produced the account of Water dues received from 29 Sep., 1764, to 29 Sep. last, being £137 0*s.* 7*d.* over and above said Busteed's Salary and all expenses, &c.

That a deed be executed by the Mayor, &c., under the Common Seal, to Sampson Towgood French, Esq., sole executor of Sampson Towgood, Esq., who was surviving executor of Moses Deane, Esq., *dec.*, to indemnify said S. T. French, his heirs, &c., on account of £1200 legacy of said Moses Deane for supporting 20 boys and 20 maids in the parish of S. Peters,

lately paid by Sr. Robt. Deane, to him handed over by Sampson Towgood, Esq.

That an application be made to Government to direct an embargo to be laid on the exportation of oaten meal, oats, and potatoes from this City to 1 Aug. next, as a scarcity of them is apprehended.

That £36 15*s.* 6½*d.* be paid Mr. Nicholas Wrixon, Atty., for law business, and £16 1*s.* 2*d.*, his bill of costs for the recovery of the legacy left by Moses Deane, Esq.; *It.*, £9 5*s.* 9½*d.* to Nich. Fitton, founder, for work done; *It.*, £3 to the Sheriffs, to be distributed to such persons as were instrumental in suppressing a late mob.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Alden. Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, John Smith, and C. Denroch, C. S.

25 *Oct.*, 1765.

That His Excell. Francis, Earl of Hertford, Ld. Lieut. of this Kingdom, be presented with his freedom in a Gold box, to be presented by our representative, the Prime Sargeant.

That an application be made to Parliament this Session in the name of the Mayor, &c., for the sum of £2000 for rebuilding S. Peter's Church, which is now very ruinous, and the parishioners not able to rebuild same; also an application for £3000 for purchasing two front houses to the Main Street, and the houses in said Peter's Church lane, to the opening a convenient passage to S. Peter's Church, and also to Haman's Marsh and Pike's Marsh, whereon several merchants reside and carry on a considerable trade. The Corporation having already expended large sums of money in opening passages in said City, and thereby disenabled to purchase said front houses and houses in the lane.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Alden. Jackson, Newman, Parker, Owgan, Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, John Wrixon, and John Smith.

1 *Nov.*, 1765.

That the Rt. Hon. Lord Beauchamp, eldest son, and Principal Sec. to the Lo. Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

That £69 3*s.* 4*d.* be paid Ald. Westropp, Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, so much expended by him in the management of said Hospital to 24 Oct.,

1764, to be accounted for out of the £920 formerly borrowed; *It.*, £1 18*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Mayor, charges paid a party of soldiers who attended last Cork fair to prevent a riot.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Parker, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, John Wrixon, and John Smith.

5 *Nov.*, 1765.

Whereas the members of this Board apprehend that an application is intended to be made to Parliament by some persons for a grant of the slabs on the sides of the new channel in the river Lee, and whereas all the slabs and waste grounds reclaimed from the river in this City and liberties belong to the Mayor, &c., under divers Charters, ordered, that instructions be sent to our representatives in Parliament to oppose any such application.

That £2 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. W^m^. Snowe for Bullingbroke's Abridgement and Appendices for the use of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, and John Wrixon.

19 *Nov.*, 1765.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Parker, Westropp, Wrixon, Bury, John Wrixon, and John Smith.

20 *Nov.*, 1765.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Ald^en^. Newman, Millerd, Wrixon, and Luke Grant be a committee to make an estimate of the expense of rebuilding S. Peter's Church, and of purchasing the houses on the South side of S. Peter's Church lane and the two front houses, also to agree with two or three persons to go to Dublin to prove said estimate.

That 3 guineas be paid Mr. Edmond Roche Kinselagh, one of the Coroners, expenses in going to Cove with a guard of soldiers, by order of Mr. Mayor, to hold an Inquest on a man that Mr. Mayor was informed was murdered on board a ship, and to apprehend the offender; *It.*, 5 guineas to Mr. Mayor

to be distributed amongst the persons who were aiding to extinguish the late fire in Carres lane; *It.*, £3 to Timothy Hughes, blacksmith, for smith's work done by Horatio Ireland from 8 Sep., 1764, to 22 Feb., 1765, and which Hughes advanced to Ireland on his quitting this kingdom.

That the Hon. John Lysaght be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Willcocks; Ald^en^. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Philpott, Swete, Franklin, John Wrixon, Bury, and Mr. Denroch, C. S.

7 *Dec.*, 1765.

Ordered, that 20 guineas be paid Thomas Holland and William Adams, Master builders, expenses, &c., in going to Dublin to prove the allegations of the Corporation to Parliament for money to rebuild S. Peter's church and to open a passage to Haman's and Pike's Marshes.

That a Memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., to Parliament for a regulation of the tradesmen and artificers of this kingdom on the plan of that from the City of Limerick be sent our representatives.

That £3 6*s.* 3*d.* be paid Andrew Coleman for tyler's work; *It.*, £11 to the Coroners for as many inquests since 11 April last.

It is the opinion of this board that an act of Parliament made in Great Britain for the payment of Coroners would be of great service if enacted here.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, and John Wrixon.

19 *Dec.*, 1765.

This board being informed that the Committee appointed to build linneys for markets on the ground taken from Henry Langford Browne, Esq., were obstructed on part of S^r^. John Meade, Bart., who claims part of said ground, ordered, that no more rent be paid Browne until he quits the Corporation in the possession of same.

That £65 0*s.* 11*d.* be paid W^m^. Reynolds for Gold and Silversmith's work from 9 July to 29 Nov. last.

That Christ. Allen, brewer, having served Francis Hodder, Esq., be admitted free.

That £21 11*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Roger Ouldin for mason's work done by him.

That Richard Longfield, Esq., M.P. for Charleville, and Rich^d^. Townsend, Esq., Knight of the Shire for Co. Cork, be presented with their freedoms in Silver boxes.

That £9 18*s.* be paid Robt. Heron, cooper, for 12 coal barrels; *It.*, £1 10*s.* to Mr. Mayor, so much expended by him in boat and horse hire, on the late search made by him for one of the murderers of Capt. Glass, his wife and daughter, and the captain of the ship.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, John Smith, Travers, and John Wrixon.

7 *Jan.*, 1766.

That £100 be paid to Adam Newman, Esq., George Piersy, Esq., Francis Gray, Esq., and Mr. Thos. Strettel, to purchase and erect in this City a statue of the Rt. Hon. W^m^. Pitt, Esq.

That a pension of £20 a year be paid Mrs. Alicia Winthrop, widow of Ald. W., *dec.*, during her widowhood.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Franklin, John Wrixon, John Smith, Wetherall, Travers; Mr. Browne, and Denroch, C. S.

9 *Jan.*, 1766.

The unanimous thanks of this board are hereby given to the Rt. Hon. J. Hely Hutchinson, Esq., His Maj. Prime Sargeant-at-law, and one of the representatives of this City, for his care and attention to the trade and interest of this City.

That an application be made to Parliament this Session to amend the late Lamp Act, Water Act, Parapet Wall Act, and Act for raising public money, and that Mr. Snowe attend in Dublin and employ proper council, &c., to draw said amendments.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Wrixon,

Philpott, Swete, Franklin, John Wrixon, Bury, John Smith; Mr. Browne, and Denroch, C. S.

22 *Jan.*, 1766.

Ordered, that an address be presented to the Lord Lieut. to return thanks for his attention to the happiness of the people of this kingdom in forwarding the bill to prevent the exportation of corn for a limited time.

That £1000 be borrowed at 5 *per cent.*, to be applied towards building a Mayoralty House.

That the debts due the Corporation be immediately sued for in such manner as Mr. Lane, Clk. of this Council, shall think proper.

That Ald. Owgan, Swete, and Mr. Browne be a committee to state the accounts of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms houses.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Swete, Franklin, Jo^n^. Smith, Travers; Mr. Browne, and Denroch, C. S.

21 *April*, 1766.

Ald. Owgan, Swete, and Mr. Browne having been appointed to examine the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., relative to Bretridge's and Skiddy's Charities, report, that there is a balance due from Carleton of £483 12*s.* 11*d.*: £63, one year's rent of the lands of Drumcummer, on 29 Sep. last, and £24 English, one year's annuity due 29 Sep. last of the Master and Wardens of the Vintners' Company of London, and that Bretridge's seven men and Skiddy's twelve widows have been paid to 8 Feb. last, and that the above balance of £483 12*s.* 11*d.* be carried by the Chamberlain to the credit of the Corporation.

That 15 guineas be paid Mr. Mayor for Danl. Murphy, loss of time during his confinement as witness to prosecute Robt. Murray for the murder of Capt. Rea; *It.*, £1 8*s.* 6*d.* to the Sheriffs, expenses in going to Cove to prevent a riot being committed there by the mob, on a report that some ships were taking in Potatoes and Meal for exportation; *It.*, 20 guineas to Mr. Mayor, to be applied for premiums for bringing Potatoes, Corn, and meal to this City.

That Stephen, eldest son of Ald. Winthrop, and John Carey, merch^t^., having served John Lawton, *do.*, be admitted free.

That half a guinea be paid Mr. Mayor for the man that discovered and gave notice of the Council Chamber being on fire.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Franklin, John Wrixon, Travers, and Browne.

2 *May*, 1766.

Whereas new Barracks are to be built in this kingdom, and the old ones either rebuilt or repaired, and as it appears to this Board that it will be highly useful to his Maj^ys^. service, and peace of this City, to have four regiments of Infantry constantly in Garrison in Cork, ordered, that a memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., be sent to the Lo. Lieut., praying that the Barracks of this City may be so rebuilt as to hold four regiments of infantry.

That £20 1*s*. 9*d*. be paid Ald. Travers for maintaining several begging children that he took up in this City, to send to one of the Charter Schools in the country.

Whereas Ambrose Jackson, Esq., Ald., did expend of his own money £169 18*s*. 5*d*. to defend the rights of the Aldermen of the Ward, on application made against him by one Pinchin in the Court of King's Bench for an attachment, and whereas Ambrose Jackson, the oldest Ald., is become so infirm that he cannot execute his office of Ald. of the Ward, and intends resigning it at next C. D. H., ordered, that an annuity of £30 a year be paid said Ambrose Jackson during his life.

Ordered, that Hugh Millerd, Esq., and Mr. John Harding be appointed scavengers to sweep and cleanse Church lane, and the streets from the North Shambles to Peacock lane, and the dung and dirt to take away and dispose of as they think proper.

Whereas the Rt. Hon. the Prime Serg^t^. wrote to Hugh Lawton, Esq., that he received under a blank cover one of the printed advertisements lately handed about this City for the meeting of the Merchants to consider some scheme for the relief of the poor in the time of scarcity, the Prime Serj^t^. had thereon laid the advertisement before the Lord Lieut., and requested his Excellency would have the goodness to write to Bristol to have a quantity of wheat and flour, oats and oatmeal, shipped for Corke, to be sold to the poor at moderate prices at the loss of Government, and his Excellency promised to write for same. The Prime Sergeant also mentions, that on

enquiry he found that a ship of 250 tons, laden with wheat and flour, the property of some people at Derry, which is daily expected at Corke, and that the same is consigned to Mr. Wm. Alexander and Mr. George Knox, both of Dublin, value of cargo £3000, the Prime Sergt. waited on his Excellency for permission to contract with Messrs. Alexander and Knox for the whole to be sold in Cork at moderate prices to the poor, but postponed doing anything till he received some authentic account of such particular. The Prime Sergeant, by his letter, directs Mr. Lawton to advance £50 to relieve the necessities of the poor inhabitants; ordered, that an address of thanks in the name of the Mayor, &c., be sent to His Excellency for his gracious aid, and also to the Prime Sergeant for his repeated services to this City and generous benefaction, and that in said address application be made under the Prime Sergeant's plan to buy two cargoes of wheat arrived this day in harbour, and the two or three first cargoes of wheat or flour that shall arrive, instead of sending to Bristol for the same, or contracting for the cargo of wheat and flour consigned to Messrs. Alexander and Knox.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Aldmen. Jackson, Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, John Wrixon, Travers, and Mr. Browne.

12 *May*, 1766.

Copy of the Prime Sergeant's letter, in answer to a letter of thanks:

"Gentlemen,

"I immediately laid your address before the Lo.-Lieut., who agreed to what you desire. Messrs. Lawton and Carleton may either draw upon his Excellency for the amount of the two cargoes which you have purchased, or, if they choose to be in advance, charge interest and commission in the usual way, and draw upon the Treasury for what remains due, giving credit for the receipts; and his Excellency approves of what you have proposed to sell out of those cargoes, to the poor, at 23*s*. the 20 stone, being one shilling under the first cost; he also approves of your buying in two or three cargoes of wheat or flour not exceeding the amount of the other two, and as nearly as you can to the prices of buying and selling out mentioned in your letter to me. I am persuaded that no care will be wanting that the loss to Government may be as small as the answering our purpose

will admit of, and least the interposition of Government might have an effect to raise the price of corn, I submit it to your discretion whether it might not be prudent to circulate a report that Government only interfered as to the cargoes already purchased, &c. With sincere regards to my fellow citizens, Gentlemen, your most faithful, humble Servt.,

"JOHN HELY HUTCHINSON.

"Dublin, 8 May, 1766.

"To the Mayor of Corke." (Abstract.)

Ordered, that the following answer be written to the Prime Sergeant:

Sir,—We received your favour of the 8 inst., and are highly obliged to his Excellency for his services to our City. We are well convinced that you will make (as hitherto) this City of Corke the principal object of your care and solicitude. Several vessels with corn have arrived in this harbour since we bought the two small cargoes of wheat at 24*s.* the barrel of 20 stone, and it being known that we intended selling it out at a less price, it caused the other cargoes and the best country wheat to be sold in our City at 22*s.* the barrel of 20 stone. We have at present no further occasion to buy any more wheat or flour at Government expense, and as we found the good effects of having these two cargoes in our hands, we have put them in our lofts in our Corn Market, to be kept there in Granary ready to sell if wheat or flour should again rise, and thus keeping it two or three months will be the means of having wheat and flour brought to our Market sold at a moderate price, and when all danger of scarcity is over to sell it at the best price, and if any loss should happen to be paid at the expense of Government. We desire you to communicate this scheme to his Excellency, and if he does not approve, we shall sell out directly on receipt of your answer; but if we do, we shall not be able to get for it 23*s.* the barrel of 20 stone. We shall apply to Messrs. Lawton and Carleton to pay the merchant for these two cargoes, and debit the Government therewith.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Aldeⁿ. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Newman, Busteed, John Wrixon, John Smith, Mr. Browne, and Mr. C. S.

14 *May*, 1766.

Ordered, that Samˡ. Rowland, Esq., be appointed Scavinger, to sweep and

cleanse the North Quay and Blarney Lane, beginning at the Shandon Guard and ending at the cross of Sunday's Well road, and also the entire lot of ground where the North Milk Market stands, with the avenues branching from it, and up the live Cattle Market as far as the Rope Walk in the Granabrahir Road.

Whereas the Rt. Hon. Hely Hutchinson, Esq., His Maj. Prime Serg^t. at law, and one of the representatives of Cork, hath proposed laying out £1500 next autumn in the purchase of wheat, oats, and oatmeal, to be put up in one or more granary in the City of Cork, to be sold for the poor at reasonable prices when provisions shall become dear in the City, and that same granary be continued till next Session of Parliament, to demonstrate the utility a Public Granary would be of, the Prime Sergeant proposes the said £1500 be raised by subscription, and that he will subscribe thereto £500; and that if any loss should arise on the £1500, the same should be made good out of his subscription. And whereas Mr. Kevan Izod hath promised to undertake the care of said granary, ordered, that £200 be paid next autumn to said Izod, as the subscription of this Corporation towards said sum.

That £16 10*s.* 1½*d.* be paid Ebenezer Sargent, City Overseer, for sundry articles, &c., from 5 Feb., 1763, to 13 May, 1766.

Mr. John Harding having agreed to leave his dispute with the Corporation relative to the quayage taken by him in the Potatoe dock to Councellor Verling, who has given it as his opinion that Harding is entitled to said quayage, ordered, that no further obstruction be given said Harding in his receiving said quayage.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en. Jackson, Owgan, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Ald. John Wrixon, Mr. Browne, and Mr. C. S.

23 *May*, 1766.

No business for want of sufficient numbers. — Anth. Lane, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en. Jackson, Westropp, Philpott, Swete, Owgan, and Millerd.

24 *May*, 1766.

Whereas John Radcliffe, of the City of Cork, Cooper and Butter Merchant, hath lately served the Mayor with a writ of *mandamus* out of the

K. B., directed to the Mayor, Sheriffs, &c., requiring them to admit said Radcliffe as a freeman, pursuant to a statute, 14 Chas. II., for encouraging Protestant strangers to inhabit and plant in this kingdom, or show cause to the contrary; and whereas we are advised that said Radcliffe is not intitled to such freedom within the meaning of the Act, and granting such would be of great injury to this Corporation; ordered, that the Law Agent prepare a proper return to said *mandamus*, and employ council for defending the suit.

Ordered, that the several statutes at large, with indices and marginal notes, as lately published, be purchased by the Town Clerk for the use of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, John Wrixon, Mr. Browne, and Denroche, C. S.

11 *June*, 1766.

Whereas Mr. Sher. Rowland has been threathened with a prosecution in H. M. Court of Chancery, by Benjn. Swete. Esq., for the Sheriffs refusing to give up to said Swete His Maj. Writ of injunction to the Sheriffs, commanding them to put said Swete in peaceable possession of the South Fishery in part of the river Lee; ordered, that the Sheriffs' costs be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

That £50 be paid to Henry Sheares, Esq., to be applied by him and the other managers for the Red House Walk in repairing thereof.

That Richard Lane, clothier, having served Abraham Lane, *do.*, and William Davenport, mercht., having served Peter Cambridge, *do.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Hodder, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, John Wrixon, Travers, Burgess Browne, and Mr. C. Denroch, C. S.

13 *June*, 1766.

Ordered, that £7 13*s.* 4*d.* be paid Judith, widow of William White, *dec.*, so much due on the first setting of the Fish Market dues, White having four months of said dues to come when same were set by cant.

That Edward Hicks, mercht., having served Noblet Breton, *do.*, and Robt. Rumble, butcher, having served Thomas Williams, *do.*, be admitted free.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland, Ald. Millerd and Wetherall, attended by the Dep. Clerk of the Council, do wait on Benj. Pike, and desire that he will lay before them his several deeds by which he claims a right to any fishery in the river Lee, and report.

That £4 be paid Mr. John Wood for one year's rent of the Guard-house, Blackpool.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en^. Jackson, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Smith, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Travers, and Mr. Browne.

23 *June*, 1766.

Ordered, that a state of the Corporation Case relative to the North and South fisherys of this City, formerly mortgaged by this Corporation to Ald. William Skiddie, be prepared by the Town Clerk, and laid before the Prime Sergeant for his advice.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Swete, Wetherall, John Wrixon, Travers, and Mr. Browne, and Mr. C. S.

12 *July*, 1766.

We, the Mayor, &c., of the City of Corke, do hereby nominate and appoint Mr. Hugh Jameson and Mr. Edwd. Scott for the parish of S. Mary Shandon; Mr. Will. Butler and Mr. Daniel Knight for the parish of S^t^. Peter; Mr. Peter Ardowin and Mr. William Rickotts for the parish of S. Paul; Mr. Kevin Izod and Mr. Godfrey Baker for the parish of Christ Church; Mr. James Morrison and Mr. William Fitton for the parish of S. Nicholas; and Mr. Ralph Uvedale and Mr. Saml. Lane for the parish of S. Finbarry, to be applotters to applot on the inhabitants of the City of Corke and the suburbs thereof, the money to be raised and paid for one year from 1 Aug. next, for erecting, lighting, cleansing, trimming, snuffing, maintaining and repairing each of the lamps to be erected in this City and suburbs.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Philpot, and Mr. Browne.

12 *July*, 1766.

Ordered, that £500 be borrowed at interest towards the building of a Mayoralty House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Wilcocks; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Philpot, and Mr. Browne.

23 *July*, 1766.

This day Mr. Stephen Denroch, Burgess, was elected one of the Common Council men in the room of Boyle Travers, Esq., *dec.;* same day Mr. Mayor, Sher. Willcocks, Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, and Mr. Kevan Izod report, that they examined the Chamberlain's accounts and find a ballance of £344 3*s.* 8¾*d.* due the Corporation.

Ordered, that Mr. Francis Carleton, Chamberlain, employ a proper person to recover all rent, &c., due to the Corporation.

That Jeffery Piersy, mercht., having served James Piersy, *do., dec.*, and Peter Morgan, mercht., having served Jonathan Morgan, *do.*, be admitted free.

That two guineas be paid Mortogh Connor for summoning different committees, and £21 0*s.* 8*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron hoops for the coal barrels, and mending same from 20 Feb., 1764, to 25 March, 1766.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, R. Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Franklin, J. Wrixon, Wetherall; Mr. Browne and Denroch.

29 *July*, 1766.

No business for want of sufficient numbers.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Aldᵉⁿ. Jackson, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, J. Wrixon; Mr. Denroch, and Mr. C. S.

30 *July*, 1766.

This day Mr. John Wrixon, C. S., took the oath of a Common Council man.

Ordered, that the lamps to be erected in this City be lighted from 15 Aug. next to 15 April, and that Norton Parr, of the City of Corke, pewterer, be

paid 18 shillings for lighting, cleansing, trimming, snuffing, and maintaining each lamp for the said time.

That £20 be paid Mr. Mayor for providing an entertainment at Blackrock Castle on 1 Aug. next.

That Mr. John Lawton be at liberty to add to his quay from the river, from the North corner of Parliament Bridge down to the quay of Messrs. Lane, Vaughan, and Benson, agreeable to the plan laid before the Council.

That £18 13*s.* 4*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes for clothes supplied the Bellmen and Exchange Porter in Sep. last.

It., £3 15*s.* 10*d.* to George Busteed, printer, for work done.

That Thomas Wagget, merch^t.^, having served his father, William Wagget, *do.*, be admitted free.

Ordered, that Mr. Pitt's statue be erected in the Exchange, in a nitch to be made where the clock stands.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Willcocks; Ald^en.^ Jackson, Parker, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Bury, J. Wrixon, Franklin, J. Smith; Mr. Denroch, and Mr. C. S.

6 *Aug.*, 1766.

The Sheriffs not attending the Mayor was obliged to break up.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en.^ Westropp, Busteed, and several others of the Council. [*sic.*]

7 *Aug.*, 1766.

Whereas the following sums are due to the Corporation on bonds passed to the Chamberlain, to wit, £45 from Martha Shea, Wm. Callahan, and John Ward on their two bonds; £17 9*s.* from Wm. Bryen, Wm. Bennett, and Timothy M^c^Carthy on their two bonds, and as some of said persons are dead and the rest have failed in their circumstances, it is ordered, that the Chamberlain take credit for said sums, to prevent same being carried on in his books.

Ordered, that Gregory Uppington, clockmaker, be appointed to wind, clean, and repair the Corporation clocks at the rate of £5 a year for his trouble.

That William Butler, Esq., be appointed Scavenger, to cleanse and sweep

the Public street from the North West corner of the Exchange to South Gate Bridge.

That Francis Wise, tanner, eldest son of Thomas Wise, butcher, *dec.*, be admitted free.

That £6 9*s.* 11*d.* be paid Wm. Rogers, brazier, for weights, scales, and measures for the market.

That the Gateage tolls (except turf, furze, timber in faggots, &c.), Fish Market, Corn Market, North and South Milk Market dues, &c., be set to cant, the person taking said customs shall deposit in the hands of the Mayor one quarter part of said rent.

That a salary of £60 be paid the Waterbailiff to receive the Mayor's dues, deducting Deputy's and other charges, giving sufficient security.

That the Lamps to be erected in this City be lighted from 24 Aug. inst., to 24 April next, instead of from 15 Aug. to 15 April.

That £8 16*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mr. Peter Cambridge for flag-stones and floor-tiles supplied from 17 Feb. to 19 April last.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Alden. Jackson, Wrixon, Busteed, Bury, J. Wrixon; Mr. Denroch, John Wrixon, C. S., and Mr. Browne.

28 *Aug.*, 1766.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Alden. Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Bury, Philpott, and Mr. Browne.

2 *Sep.*, 1766.

Ordered, that £400 be borrowed at interest to discharge the Corporation Bond to the Trustees of the North Infirmary.

That 5 guineas be paid Revd. Michæl Tisdal, Corporation Chaplain, for as many sermons.

That Sir Michæl Cox, Bart., eldest son of Sir Richd. Cox, Bart, *dec.*; Thomas, eldest son of Henry Vereker, Esq., *dec.*; and Joseph Shadwell, apothecary, having served Andrew Peace, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Whereas the Grand Jury at the last Assizes presented the sum of

£26 2*s.* 6*d.* for enlarging the public passage under the North Gaol, ordered, that the sum be advanced for carrying out said work.

That Ebenezer Sargent, City overseer, buy 100 barrels of coal.

That £19 6*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Browning for votes of the English and Irish house of Commons and News Papers.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en.^ Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, J. Wrixon; Burgess Browne and Denroch, and Mr. J. Wrixon, C. S.

17 *Sep.*, 1766.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en.^ Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, and Mr. S. Denroch.

19 *Sep.*, 1766.

Ordered, that eleven shillings be paid Mr. John Minton, an arrear of Ministers' and hearth money due on said Minton's house.

That £9 12*s.* be paid Robt. Heron, cooper, for twelve new coal barrels; *It.*, £21 4*s.* 3*d.* to Mrs. Mary Bussy, for candles.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland, Ald. Newman, Philpott, and Mr. Browne be appointed to visit Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms houses, and report their state and regulate any disorders.

That £33 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, expenses of the entertainment at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug. last.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Ald^en.^ Westropp, Wrixon, Philpott, Bury, J. Wrixon, Busteed, Jackson, Newman; Mr. Browne, and Denroch.

26 *Sep.*, 1766.

That John Scott, Esq., Councillor-at-Law; Thomas Carew, Esq., M.P. for Dungarvan; Francis Tydd, gent., brother-in-law to the Mayor; and John Butler, Esq., be admitted free.

Ordered, that £1 2*s.* be paid Richd. Evans, Exchange Porter, for Turf and Sand, &c.; *It.*, 2 guineas to Thos. Dyer, an ancient freeman, who is very infirm and past his labour; *It.*, £3 16*s.* 4*d.* to Mr. Mayor, paid by him for painting the City arms on the flag erected at Blackrock; *It.*, £11 5*s.* to

Jeremiah Hogan for 25 boat loads of stones for the North and South bridges, from 11 Aug., 1764, to 17 Aug., 1765; *It.*, £3 9*s.* 11*d.* to Arthur St. Clare, stone cutter, in full to this day.

Recd. out of the Chest, the Charter of King James 1st and old Council Book.—Wm. Snowe.—(Note on Margin).

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland; Alden. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Rob. Wrixon, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, Franklin, Jn. Smith, Wetherall, J. Wrixon, and Mr. Burgess Browne.

1 *Oct.*, 1766.

Ordered, that a Memorial be sent to their Excell. the Lords Justices, in the name of the Mayor, &c., praying an order of Government to prevent the exportation of all sorts of grain, meal, and potatoes for a limited time, as corn in general has failed this season and a great scarcity dreaded next winter and spring.

It., that 10 guineas be paid any person that shall lodge in gaol, within three months, James Corkoran, of the North Suburbs, Butcher, for assaulting Mr. Sober Kent, one of the Market Jury, in the execution of his office.

That Charles Hotham, Esq., Coll. H. M. 63 Reg. of foot now quartered in this City, and also a Member of the English House of Commons, and Edmond Burke, Esq., one of the Members of the English House of Commons, be presented with their freedoms in Silver Boxes.

That Norton Parr, the lamp Contractor, do alter the position of such lamps in the Parish of S. Mary Shandon as Mr. Sher. Rowland and Mr. Burgess Browne shall direct.

That a lamp be erected at each end of the Public passage now making under the City gaol.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Rowland and Willcocks; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Bury, J. Wrixon, Philpott, Wrixon; Mr. Denroch and Browne.

Samuel Maylor, Esq., Mayor.

14 *Oct.*, 1766.

This day Mr. Mayor was sworn a Common Council man, also the Sheriffs were sworn.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Harding; Alden. Jackson, New-

man, Owgan, Wrixon, Bury, J. Smith, Westropp, Busteed, J. Wrixon, Franklin, Swete, and Mr. Browne.

27 *Nov.*, 1766.

This day Ald. Busteed produced the accounts of his Waterbailiffship, from 29 Sep., 1765, to 29 Sep., 1766, with his affidavid affixed, whereby it appears he paid into the hands of the Chamberlain £156 3*s.* 10*d.* over and above his salary, and other expenses.

Ordered, that a Memorial to their Excellencys' the Lords Justices, relative to the present scarcity of wheat in this City, and the likelyhood of much greater for the ensueing spring, praying relief, be sent to the Right Hon. John Hely Hutchinson, one of our representatives, desiring him to wait on their Excellencies to have something done for the relief of the inhabitants of this City.

That £104 12*s.* 3*d.* be paid Messrs. Dennis and Penrose, for timber, &c., for the new building at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £6 12*s.* 5½*d.* to Roger Ouldin, Corporation mason, work done; *It.*, £2 9*s.* to Corn. Sullivan, Bookseller, for Bolingbroke's Abridgement of the Statutes, and five appendices; *It.*, £176 3*s.* 9½*d.* to Messrs Robt. and John Wrixon, for sheet lead and scaffold ropes for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £200 to the overseers, for building the Mayoralty House, to be laid out in the further prosecution of the work.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Harding; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Swete, Franklin, J. Smith, J. Wrixon, Bury, and Mr. Browne.

18 *Dec.*, 1766.

Ordered, that a premium of 2 shillings the quarter be paid on the first 3000 quarters of wheat that shall be imported from foreign ports into this City, and sold therein between 1 Feb. and 1 of May next.

That the Hon^l^. Joseph Lysayht, Collector of the Port of Cork, be presented with his freedom in a Silver hox.

That £7 10*s.* be paid Ald. Newman, discount by him paid on Sir Robt. Deane's bill of Exchange for £1000; *It.*, £1 4*s.* 2*d.* to W^m^. Fackman, for printing-work done to 27 Oct.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Owgan,

Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, and Mr. Burgess Browne.

2 *Feb.*, 1767.

Whereas the City of Cork has lately been infested with a gang of robbers, ordered, that if any of said persons shall discover his accomplices and prosecute them to conviction, he shall not only be entitled to his pardon but be paid a reward of 50 guineas.

That a reward of 10 guineas be paid to any person who within three months shall convict any street-robber, or house-breaker in this City or liberties.

Whereas on the night of the 31 Jan. the Sentinel at the Bridewell was knocked down and dangerously wounded by some persons unknown, ordered, that a reward of 20 guineas be paid any person who shall discover any of them; and in case any of the said offenders shall convict he shall receive his pardon and the above reward.

That 30 barrels of Coal be bought by Ebenezer Sargent for the Corporation.

That £3 5*s.* be paid George Busteed, for printing-work; *It.*, 10 guineas to George Fuller, burgess, he and his wife and family being in great poverty and distress; *It.*, 30 guineas to Mr. Geo. Carleton, so much laid out by him for a Gold box, in which the freedom of the City was presented to Lord Beauchamp; *It.*, a pension of £20 a year to the widow of Ald. Travers.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding Ald^en^. Jackson, Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, Owgan, Hodder, and Mr. Browne.

24 *March*, 1767.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Mr. Sher. Travers and Harding, Ald. Westropp and Mr. Browne, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to examine the accounts of the gentlemen appointed to oversee the building of the Mayoralty house, and report.

That £200 be paid the Overseers, for building the Mayoralty House, for the prosecution of said work.

That Mr. Mayor, Mr. Sher. Travers and Harding, Ald. Westropp,

Franklin, J. Wrixon and Swete, be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts from 29 Sep., 1765, to 29 Sep. last.

That £11 be paid the Coroners for as many inquests, from 26 Oct., 1765, to this date, and that any inquest hereafter held by the Coroners shall not be paid out of the Corporation revenues; *It.*, £18 8*s.* 10*d.* to Wm. Reynolds, silversmith, for work done from 28 Dec., 1765, to 19 Dec. last; *It.*, £16 2*s.* 10*d.* to Roger Ouldin, for mason's work. That Ebenezer Sargent buy six barrels of coal for the Corporation.

That James Gregg, gent., having served Wm. Snowe, gent., be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Harding; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Wrixon, Busteed, Philpotts, Bury, Wetherall, J. Wrixon, Franklin, and Mr. Browne.

18 *May*, 1767.

Ordered, that Capt. Edwd. Hawke, son to the Rt. Hon. Sir Edwd. Hawke, Bart., K.B., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box, as a testimony, and in gratitude for the many signal services done by his father, in particular his defeating the Fleet under the command of Monsieur Conflans, which was intended to invade this Kingdom.

That General Studholme Hodgson be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Alden. Newman, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Franklin, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, Mr. Tho. Browne, Burgess, and Mr. Wrixon, C. S.

23 *May*, 1767.

This day, Mr. Sher. Harding, Mr. Burgess Browne, Baker, Izod, Willcocks, F. Carleton, and Denroch, appointed to examine the accounts of the gentlemen appointed to oversee the building of the Mayoralty House, report, that on a strict examination of the accounts produced by Henry Wrixon and William Butler, Esqrs., they have fairly expended to 5 May inst. the sum of £2822 0*s.* 1*d.*, for which they produced vouchers. And that they had received the sum of £2900 from Francis Carleton, Chamberlain, and that a ballance of £77 19*s.* 11*d.* remains on their hands for carrying on said building; and also that £739 3*s.* 10½*d.* remains due to James and Ebenezer

Morrison, for timber furnished to 4 May inst.; and that the sum of £203 10*s.* 3½*d.* is due to Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, for sundries to 5 May, inst.; and also £28 19*s.* 8*d.* is due to Samuel and George Beale for sundries to 27 Nov., which report this Board doth agree to.

It., That £450 be borrowed from Mr. Stephen Denroch, at 5 *per cent.*, and that the Mayor, &c., execute a bond.

It., That £200 of said sum be paid the overseers for building the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £200 to Messrs. James and Ebenezer Morrison, part payment of their account for timber; and the remaining £50 to Timothy Hughes, iron monger, part payment of his account.

That Mr. Mayor, in the name of the Board, apply to the gentleman appointed for building the Mayoralty House, to request their further care in overseeing said work.

It., That £4 9*s.* be paid Messrs. Robt. and John Wrixon, being a premium of 2 shillings the quarter on 89 kilderkins of wheat imported and sold by them in this City, from Rotterdam, on 4 April last.

It., That £21 14*s.* be paid Thomas Trant, mercht., being a premium of 2 shillings the quarter on 217 quarters of wheat imported by him into this City, from Dunkirk, in March last.

It., That a reward of £60 be paid the person who shall convict the first three of the persons who were concerned in the late riotous assembly in the liberties of this City, by the journeymen weavers.

Ordered, that Blackrock Castle be set by public Cant for 7 years from 25 next July, reserving the use thereof for the Corporation on every 1 Aug. and every other day the Corporation shall think proper for their entertainments, giving the tenant four days notice.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Travers; Alden, Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Owgan, and Mr. Burg. Browne.

29 *May*, 1767.

This day this Board took into consideration the agreement made by the committee for building the Mayoralty House of this City, with Mr. Davis Dukart, and by an entry 6 May, 1765, said Dukart on that day produced a plan of said Mayoralty House, and reported the same would cost about £2000, said committee considered the plan, and ordered that a sum not

exceeding £2000 should be expended in carrying it out, and that Dukart should be employed to execute it, to be allowed 5 *per cent.* on the money laid out, the committee reserving a power to make said Dukart a further gratuity if they should think fit; and said Board is of opinion that Dukart was not at liberty to expend any further sum than £2000, and he is not entitled to any more recompense for his trouble than 5 *per cent.* on £2000, as it hath been reported to this board by a gentlemen of said Committee that Dukart did not give due attendance to the building of said Mayoralty House, whereby the Masons and Carpenters were often idle for want of his being in Corke to give them directions, that a larger sum than £2000 hath been expended, and the same is not finished; and this Board is of opinion that Dukart when he gave the plan was conscious that it would cost much more, and that his estimate was to induce said Committee to go on with the plan.

Ordered, that the two bonds passed by this Corporation to Mr. S. Denroch, both amounting to £550, be taken up, and that the said sum be added to the sum of £450, and that a bond be executed to Denroch for £1000, with interest at 5 *per cent.*

It., that £14 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mrs. Esther Holmes for clothing for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter.

It., 5 guineas to Rev^d^. Mich^l^. Tisdal for as many sermons; *It.*, 2 guineas to Councillor Verling for drawing a memorial to the Government.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Ald^en^. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, J. Wrixon, and Burgess Browne.

3 *June*, 1767.

Whereas by Act of Parliament made 6 of His Maj^ys^. reign, the Mayor, &c., of Corke are empowered to grant under the Common Seal any share or dividend of the profits arising from the reservoirs, canals, trenches, water-courses, pipes, and water to be erected for conveying and supplying said City with water, to such freemen at large and their exec^rs^. for such term of years as the Mayor, &c., by their order confirmed by the C. D. H., shall appoint, such freemen to whom such share, &c., shall be so granted covenanting for him and his heirs, &c., with the Mayor, &c., to pay a proportionable part of the expense attending the making, digging, cutting, &c., of said reservoirs, canals, &c., Now we, the Mayor, &c., do hereby appoint one

hundred part share of said profits to be granted for 990 years from 1 June, inst., to each freeman at large hereafter named, and his exec^rs., &c., to wit, Robert Wrixon, Esq.; Will. Willcocks, merch^t.; John Wrixon, Esq.; John Lapp, merch^t., John Swete, Esq., Jaspar Lucas, merch^t.; John Webb, merch^t.; Danl. Perdrian, mer.; Peter Cambridge, mer.; Hugh Jameson, mer.; Adam Newman, Esq.; Andrew Franklin, Esq.; Randall Westropp, Esq.; Riggs Falkiner, Esq.; George Randal, mer.; W^m. Parks, Esq.; Usher Philpott, Esq.; Peter Cossart, mer.; Rich^d. Roberts, mer.; Peter Ardouin, mer; Henry Harding, mer.; Abraham Lane, clothier; Stephen Denroch, mer.; Rev. Rob. Austen, clk.; Benj. Bousfield, mer.; Saml. Beale, mer.; Charles Denroch, mer.; Daniel Connor, mer.; Thos. Fuller, mer.; Rich^d. Pope, clothier; Henry Wrixon, Esq.; Paul Baker, cooper; Hovell Farmer, Esq.; Ralph Westropp, Esq.; Ralph Uvedale, gent.; Edwd. Scott, clothier, Thos. Owgan, mer.; Joseph Wetherall, Esq.; George Piersy, mer.; Stephen Mills, mer.; Paul Benson, mer.; W^m. Snowe, gent.; W^m. Verling, Esq.; W^m. Wagget, mer.; Henry Moore, mer.; Paul Piersy, mer.; Francis Carleton, mer.; George Carleton; John Latham, mer.; W^m. Lawton, mer.; Kevan Izod, mer.; Rich^d. Tonson, Esq.; Hugh Lawton, Esq.; Godfrey Baker, mer.; John Dennis, mer.; Christ. Carleton, mer.; Walter Travers, Esq.; Bayly Rogers, Esq.; Walter fitz Simmons, Esq.; Hugh Carleton, Esq.; Palms Westropp, mer.; Saml. Maylor, Esq.; John Travers, mer.; John Thompson; W^m. Clarke, Jun., mer.; James Morrison, mer.; Humphry Crowly, clothier; Jeffrey Piersy, mer.; Mich^l. Wood, mer.; Henry Wrixon, of Blossomfort, Esq.; and Jonathan Tanner, Esq.

That £13 19s. be paid Messrs. Lane, Benson, and Vaughan, being Corporation bounty on 139 quarters and half of wheat imported and sold in Cork.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, Swete, Wetherall, Wrixon, and Mr. Browne.

10 *June*, 1767.

No business for want of sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Harding; Ald^en. Jackson, Westropp, Millerd, Wetherall, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, and Mr. Browne.

16 *June*, 1767.

That William Jones, gent., having served Anthony Lane, Esq.; Benjamin Sullivan, Esq., eldest son of Benjamin S., Esq., *dec.;* Benjamin Fish, merch^t.^, eldest son of Richard F., mer., *dec.;* Christopher Lawton, mer., having served Hugh Lawton, Esq.; John Franklin, mer., having served Stephen Denroch, *do.;* Richard Courcey, cooper, having served Paul Baker, *do.*, be admitted free.

Ordered, that the overseers appointed at the last assizes to repair and enlarge Bachelor's Quay shall have liberty to take down the Watch house on the North Bridge in order to widen the passage from said quay to said bridge.

That John Lawton, mer., shall have liberty to take in a slip from the channel to the quay on the North side of his premises on Lavit's Island, agreeable to a map now before the Council, Ald. Busteed to oversee the doing thereof.

That Ald. Owgan, Busteed, Franklin, and John Wrixon be a committee to view that part of the South river adjoining the concern of Mr. John Dowman, brewer, and report, whether the part Dowman hath petitioned the Board to take will be prejudicial to the river or any of the adjacent premises.

That £5 4*s.* be paid Thomas Dawson, master of the ship Thomas and Francis of Yarmouth, being the Corporation Bounty on 52 quarters of wheat by him imported and sold in this City; *It.*, £3 2*s.* 2½*d.* to Mr. James Gregg, atty., costs of the prosecution of John Godwin last assizes; *It.*, £4 to Mr. John Wood, one year's rent of the Guard House, Blackpool; *It.*, 2 guineas to Thos. Dyer, an ancient freeman, who is very infirm and past his labour; *It.*, 5 guineas to each of the Coroners, a recompense for their trouble in executing their office for six months.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Philpott, Wetherall, J. Wrixon, Busteed, and Mr. Browne.

24 *June*, 1767.

We, the Mayor, &c., do appoint Mr. John Newsom and Mr. Abraham Lane for the parish of S. Mary Shandon; Mr. George Dowman and Mr. Robt. Stevelly for the parish of S. Peter's; Mr. John Mathews and Mr. Richd. Perry for the parish of S. Paul; Mr. John Digby and Mr. John

Lawton for the parish of Christ Church; Mr. George Randal and Mr. Phil Stacpole for the parish of S. Nicholas; and Dennis Callaghan, Esq., and Mr. Michæl Roberts for the parish of S. Finbarry, to applot the money to be raised for erecting, lighting, trimming, &c., the lamps to be erected in the City and Suburbs.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Harding; Ald^en^. Jackson, Philpott, Franklin, J. Wrixon, Wrixon, Millerd, Busteed, Owgan, and Mr. Browne.

22 *July*, 1767.

Ordered, that the Mayor for the time being, Adam Newman, Randal Westropp, Robt. Wrixon, Joseph Wetherall, Walter Travers, Hugh Lawton, Henry Wrixon, Esq., Mr. Francis Carleton, Burgess, Mr. James Morrison, Burgess, Mr. Kevan Izod, Burgess, Mr. Stephen Denroch, Burgess, Mr. John Lapp, mer., Mr. John Latham, mer., and W^m^. Snowe, gent., be a committee to carry out the act for supplying this City with water, and another act amending several statutes made heretofore for the better regulation of the City of Cork so far as relates to supplying it with water.

That £20 be given the Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug. next.

That Kitchen furniture, pewter excepted, four dozen of mahogany chairs with black leather bottoms and brass nails, fire irons and fenders for the dining-room and parlour, be bought for the use of the Mayoralty house.

It., that £200 be paid the Committee for building the Mayoralty house, for prosecuting the work.

It., that 100 barrels of coal be bought by Ebenezer Sargent for the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Swete, Franklin, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, Philpott, and Mr. Browne.

18 *Aug.*, 1767.

Ordered, that £16 17*s.* 9*d.* be paid Henry Wrixon, Esq., and Mr. W^m^. Butler, to be laid out in cutting the piles and lowering the pavement round the piers of the North Bridge, according to an estimate.

It., £19 6*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Edmond Browning for English and Irish Newspapers and English votes supplied to 24 June next.

Ordered, that Falkiner's Journal, the English Votes, and London Gazette be discontinued from 29 Sep. next.

That £50 3*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mess. Robt. and John Wrixon for flag-stones; *It.*, £28 19*s.* 8*d.* to Mess. Samuel and George Beale in full for their account; *It.*, £78 11*s.* 4*d.* to Mr. W^m^. Snowe for law business; *It.*, £91 6*s.* 1*d.* to Anthony Lane, Esq., his bill of costs.

Ordered, that no money shall be passed on the Council day it is brought in, but remain in the Town Clerk's office until next Council day, and that a Committee be appointed to examine same and report.

This board being of opinion that there is not a sufficient number of the army in this City to do the duty; ordered, that a Memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., be sent to the Lords Justices praying for additional forces.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Philpott, Franklin, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, and Mr. Browne.

29 *Aug.*, 1767.

Ordered, that the Gateage tolls (except the custom of turf, furze, linen, and linen yarn), North and South Milk Market dues, Corn Market dues, &c., be set to the highest bidder (terms as before).

That a sallary of £60 for one year be paid the Waterbailiff (duty as before).

That Sober Kent, mer., at the request of the Mayor; Adam Newman, gent.; Nathaniel Payne, gent.; James Kingston, mer., having served Hugh Lawton; Hugh Lawton, jun., mer., having served Hugh Lawton, Esq.; Richard Hare, jun., mer., having served his uncle, Richard Hare., mer.; and Noblet Flemming, glazier, having served Richard Burtt, *do.*, be admitted free.

Ordered, that £5 4*s.* 1*d.* be paid in addition to the £20 for the entertainment at Blackrock; *It.*, £3 12*s.* 6½*d.* to Mr. Mayor for supporting John Nash (who prosecuted the soldiers at the last assizes) whilst in Bridewell and other charges; *It.*, 10 guineas to the persons hereafter named for prosecuting the three soldiers at the last assizes, *viz.*, to Luke Pritty 6 guineas; James Bate, Sarj^t^.; Robt. Taylor, Sarj^t^.; Rich^d^. Sargent, corporal, and Robt. Wilson, soldier, 65 Reg. of foot, one guinea each; *It.*, two guineas to Murtho Connor for his trouble in summoning applotters and constables.

Ordered, that an entertainment be provided by this board for the Prime

Sargeant next assizes, and that Mr. Mayor do invite him and request he will fix a day.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Travers and Harding; Alden. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Franklin, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, Wrixon, Owgan, Wetherall, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

16 *Sep.*, 1767.

No business for want of a sufficient number.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, and Mr. Browne.

James Chatterton, Esq., Mayor.

9 *Oct.*, 1767.

This day Mr. Mayor and the Sheriffs were sworn Common Council men.

Ordered, that £235 17*s.* 1*d.* be paid Messrs. James and Ebenezer Morrison, in part payment of their account for timber; *It.*, £9 2*s.* 9½*d.* to Richard Burt, glazier, for work done.

This day the late Mayor and Sheriffs, Alden. Westropp, Franklin, J. Wrixon, Mr. J. Wrixon, late C. S., Mr. S. Denroch, Mr. Kevan Izod, Mr. Godfrey Baker, Mr. Danl. Connor, Mr. Saml. Rowland, and Mr. Will. Willcocks, the committee for settling the Public accounts from 29 Sep., 1765, to 1766, report, that they have adjusted Mr. Francis Carleton's accounts, and that a ballance of £179 14*s.* 5¾*d.* is due from the Corporation to Carleton.

Ordered, that £3 8*s.* 1½*d.* be paid Richard Burt, glazier, for work done at Blackrock.

That the Rt. Hon. Lord Blaney be presented with his freedom in a Silver box, and Eyre Massey, Esq., Lt.-Col. 27 Reg. of foot, also in a Silver box, as a testimony of the sense this board has of the many services by him done for his king and country in North America and the West Indies in the late war.

Ordered, that £4 5*s.* be paid Mr. Christian Jacob Danckert, being a premium of 2 shillings a quarter on 95 Bags of Wheat imported by him and sold to the bakers, in April last.

It., £9 6*s.* 5½*d.* to Will. Fachman, glazier, for work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Alden. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith,

Maylor, and Mr. Jones, C. S., Hugh Carleton, Esq., and the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

16 *Oct.*, 1767.

Ordered, that Ald. Newman, Millerd, and Wetherall be a committee to inspect Goulnaspurra, and have a plan drawn of same, and to take an account of the rents payable thereout.

That £150 be paid the overseers of the Mayoralty House, for further prosecution of same; *It.*, That £50 left by the will of Mrs. Shearman for the support of a Charity School in the parish of S. Peter be taken from the Trustees of said Charity by the Corporation, at 5 *per cent.*

That £50 be paid Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, for work done at the Mayoralty House.

That any five of the Committee appointed 22 July last, to carry out the Act for supplying the City with water, be a sufficient board, instead of eight mentioned in said order.

That £12 19*s.* 3*d.* be paid John Sullivan, gent., one of the Coroners, expense in feeing lawyers and prosecuting Robt. Murray for the murder of Capt. Rea; *It.*, £21 7*s.* 10*d.* to Mrs. Mary Bussey for candles.

That Lionel Becher Westropp, mer., having served Ald. Westropp, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Ald^en^. Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Swete, J. Smith, J. Wrixon, Newman, Franklin, Mr. Jones, C. S., and Mr. Recorder as adviser of the Council.

21 *Oct.*, 1767.

That Lord Visc. Townsend, Lo.-Lieut. of this Kingdom, be presented with his freedom, in a Gold box; also Rt. Hon. Lo. Fred^k^. Campbell, Sec. to Lo.-Lieut., *do.*, in a Silver box.

This day Ald. Busteed produced his accounts of Waterbayliffship, from 29 Sep., 1766, to 29 Sep., 1767, whereby it appears he paid the Chamberlain £141 17*s.* 8*d.* over and above his salary, and other expenses.

That an application be made to Parliament for £5000 for purchasing certain houses and ground in Goulnaspurra, for enlarging the passage and making a commodious street from North Bridge to Mallow Lane and Far-

ren's Quay, and that the Town Clerk wait on the Recorder with instructions for drawing a memorial for that purpose.

That £3 8*s.* 3*d.* be paid Saml. Andrews, for drawing a plan of Goulnaspurra.

That Ald. Newman attend the House of Commons on the above application, and that he be paid 20 guineas to defray his expenses.

That 18 chairs and 3 mahogany tables be purchased by the overseers of the Mayoralty House for the use of said house. *It.*, that 5 guineas be paid George Fuller, one of the Burgesses, being in distress.

That William Wade, eldest son of Thos. Wade, gent.; Richard Martin, gent., having served Benj. Sullivan, Esq., and Mr. W^m^. Snowe; the Rev^d^. Sir Michæl Cox, Bart., eldest son of Sir Rich^d^. Cox, Bart., *dec.*; and Henry Thomas Fitz Gerald, gent., eldest son of John Fitz Gerald, cooper, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Busteed, Hodder, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, Millerd, Swete, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

24 *Oct.*, 1767.

Ordered, that the Memorial to Parliament for £5000, for purchasing Goulnaspurra, which was drawn by the Recorder, and this day read, approved of, and signed by this Board, be delivered to Ald. Newman, to be delivered by him to our Members to present to the House of Commons.

That Ebenezer Sargent, overseer of this City, be dismissed from his office.

That Mr. George Graham be appointed overseer of this City in the room of Ebenezer Sargent, and that he be paid £20 a year, and sworn before the Mayor faithfully to execute his office.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, and Philpott.

30 *Oct.*, 1767.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, and J. Wrixon.

4 *Nov.*, 1767.

Ordered, that a Memorial to Parliament, in the name of the Mayor, &c., for the better establishment of the inferior Corporations of this Kingdom, under proper regulations, and the enforcing the payment of a reasonable quarteridge, be prepared by the Town Clerk, to be by him transmitted to the Corporations of Dublin, Limerick, Waterford, and other corporations in this kingdom, intending to apply to Parliament for the same purpose.

That £4 14*s.* 4½*d.* be paid Mr. Sober Kent and Mr. John Jones, expenses they were put to on account of their acting as Market Jurors in seizing some light bread. *It.*, £1 8*s.* 6½*d.* to Richard Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, &c.

This day the Council licensed John Francis, mariner, to buy coals in the City for sale, to keep a coal yard and cellar, said Francis executing a bond, with security to the Mayor in a penalty of £200, that he will not be concerned in forestalling or regrating coals, or in any combination for raising the price.

Mr. John Travers, one of the Burgesses, is hereby appointed one of the Scavengers of this City, to have swept, &c., that part of the street beginning at the hither turn into Cove lane, and ending at the lane leading down to Mr. Morrison's new house; also from George's Street to Mr. Randal's house.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Maylor, Franklin, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

10 *Nov.*, 1767.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Philpott, Bury, J. Smith, Maylor, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

13 *Nov.*, 1767.

Ordered, that £61 18*s.* be paid W^m^. Reynolds, goldsmith, for one Gold box and six Silver boxes supplied; *It.*, £8 2*s.* 10*d.* to James Cott, amount of the toll on 977 bags of wheat sold by the Corporation in the Corn Market in 1766.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

21 *Nov.*, 1767.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French; Aldcn. Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, and Franklin.

25 *Nov.*, 1767.

Ordered, that £200 be borrowed at interest by the Corporation from the North Infirmary, to be paid to the Overseers of the Mayoralty House, to discharge the debts due to the inferior tradesmen; *It.*, £139 12*s.* 10*d.* to the Trustees of S. Stephen's Hospital, to pay Ald. Westropp, Master, the ballance due to him 1 May, 1766, to be accounted for on the loan of £920 formerly borrowed from the trustees of said Hospital, for building Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses.

That Aldcn. Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, and Mr. Burgess Browne be a committee to state the accounts of S. Stephen's Hospital and Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses.

"I dissent from £139 12*s.* out of the Corporation revenue for any debt contracted for the Blue Coat Hospital."—Will. Owgan.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French; Aldcn. Jackson, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, J. Wrixon, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

22 *Dec.*, 1767.

That 20 guineas be paid Ald. Millerd, his expenses in attending the House of Commons for money to purchase Goulnaspurra, where the Ald. was examined, and on whose examination the sum of £1500 was granted by Parliament for the aforesaid purpose.

That the thanks of this Board be hereby given to Ald. Millerd for his attendance at the House of Commons.

That Lorenzo Nickson, Esq., Brother-in-law to Rt. Hon. J. Hely Hutchinson, H. M. Prime Sargent, be admitted free.

That £2 8*s.* be paid Mr. Mayor, charges of an express to Government, concerning the murder committed by some officers in this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Aldcn. Jackson, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Swete, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Wrixon, Burgess Browne, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

22 *Jan.*, 1768.

Ordered, that the overseers for building the Mayoralty House agree with Patrick Osburne for stuccoing the staircase, lobby, and drawing-room of said house, and also with a proper person for erecting four marble chimney-pieces, two in the dining-room and two in the drawing-room; also for erecting a portico and proper entrance into the said house; also for finishing all carpenter's work that remains to be done, painting, and doing the outside stucco.

It., that Ald. Millerd, Franklin, and Mr. Browne be a committee to examine the accounts of the overseers for building the Mayoralty house, to inspect the tradesmen's accounts with regard to the prices charged, and report.

That an application be made, in the name of this Board, to the Lo.-Lieut. for three troops of Cavalry to be appointed for this City, and for building Barracks for their reception.

Also an application setting forth the dangerous condition of Skiddy's Castle for keeping powder in as a magazine, and praying that a powder-magazine may be erected in some part of the outskirts of this City; also that Skiddy's Castle may be granted for the Main Guard of this City.

The 8*s.* 5*d.* be paid Mr. Burgess Wrixon, being the expenses of measuring the distances in the parishes of S. Mary Shandon and S. Peter for erecting lamps.

It., £1 8*s.* 6½*d.* to Richard Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, sand, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Ald^en^. Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, J. Smith, J. Wrixon, Franklin, Philpott, Owgan, and Mr. Browne.

8 *March*, 1768.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Busteed, Franklin, Wrixon, Mr. Browne, and Connor.

15 *March*, 1768.

That Jonathan Ireland, having served John Deyos, chandler; Francis Harvey, having served Joseph Devonshire and Thomas Strettell, merch^ts.;

Jonathan Hutchinson, of Cork, merch^t., eldest son of Jonathan H., mer., *dec.*; George Newsom, mer., having served Christ. Carleton, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that 5 guineas be paid each of the Coroners for their trouble for six months.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Ald^en. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Owgan, Mr. Browne and Connor.

10 *May*, 1768.

No business this day in Council.—W^m. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Ald^en. Millerd, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, Philpott, Burgess Browne, Denroch, and Connor.

14 *May*, 1768.

Ordered, that Saml. Maylor, Esq., be of the Committee (in the room of Robt. Wrixon, Esq., *dec.*) to carry into execution the Act for Supplying the City with Water, &c.

It., that £68 14*s.* be paid to Richard Coldwell, cabinet-maker, for 66 mahogany and 24 oak chairs for the use of the Mayoralty House. *It.*, £3 10*s.* 5*d.* to Geo. Busteed, for printing-work. *It.*, £100 to the overseers for building the Mayoralty House, in further prosecution of the work.

The Committee for carrying into execution two Acts of Parliament for supplying the City with water have agreed with Mr. Nicholas Fitton, of this City, founder, for doing said work; an agreement was drawn up by the Recorder, between the Mayor, &c., and Nicholas Fitton, which being read was agreed to.

It., that the Chamberlain do cause the premises opposite the Corn Market to be distrained for rent, &c., due to Bretridge's and Skiddy's Almshouses.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French; Ald^en. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, Mr. Browne and Denroch.

20 *June*, 1768.

Ordered, that twenty-five one hundred-part shares of the profits arising from the reservoirs, canals, water-courses, pipes, and water to be made for

supplying this City with water, be granted by the Mayor, &c., to Francis Carleton, Esq., his heirs, &c., for 999 years, said Carleton covenanting to pay a proportionable part of the expense attending the making, digging, and cutting said canals, &c.

Whereas the North Bridge is greatly out of repair, ordered, that same be repaired, and that Mr. Burgess Browne and Connor be appointed to oversee the repairs.

That 100 barrels of coal be bought for the Corporation.

This day this Board signed a receipt for £1500 for widening Goulnaspurra, and that the receipt be given the Chamberlain to receive the money.

That a bond be passed by the Mayor, &c., to Mr. Kevan Izod for 150 guineas, being the first subscription of 6 guineas for 25 shares for supplying the City with water, said bond payable with interest at 5 *per cent.*

It., That the late King's statue, the Cupola of the Exchange, and the Dial plates of the Clock be repaired, and that Mr. Snowe oversee same.

That Lucius O'Brien, Esq., Cap. of His Maj. Ship the Solebay, now stationed in this harbour, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; also Robert Fulton, Esq., brother-in-law to the Mayor, and William Snowe, eldest son of Will. Snowe, gent., Dep. Clk. of the Council, freemen at large.

That £100 borrowed at 5 *per cent.* be applyed to the repairs of North Bridge, the late King's statue, the Cupola, and Dial plates of the clock.

"I dissent to Mr. Will. Snowe, jun., being referred to C. D. H., as he has an undoubted right to be made by the Council only, being his father's eldest son and of the full age of 21 years."—Tho. Browne.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French; Alden. Parker, Westropp, Busteed, Wrixon, J. Smith, Philpott; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Connor, and Mr. Jones, C. S.

5 *Aug.*, 1768.

Ordered, that an entertainment be prepared for the Lo. Lieut., who is soon expected in this City, and that Alden. Millerd, Franklin, Mr. Denroch, Burgess Wrixon, and Mr. Snowe be managers to prepare the entertainment, and fix a proper place for same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Smith, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Swete, Burgess Browne, Denroch, and Connor, and Mr. Recorder as adviser of the Council.

9 *Aug.*, 1768.

Ordered, that one hundred part share of the profits arising from the reservoirs, &c., pipes and water to be erected for supplying this City with water, to have been granted to Robt. Wrixon, Esq., *dec.*, be granted by the Mayor, &c., to his eldest son, John Wrixon, Merch^t.

It., that one hundred part share of said profits be granted by the Mayor, &c., to the following gentlemen, freemen at large, to wit, Hugh Millerd, Esq., Nicholas Lysaght, Esq., Nicholas Wrixon, gent., and Adam Newman, jun., gent., their heirs, &c., for 999 years from 1 June, 1767, said gentlemen covenanting to pay their proportionable part of the expense of making, digging, cutting, &c., said reservoirs, &c.

That a suit at law in the name of the Mayor, &c., be commenced against Norton Parr, lamp contractor for 1766, for the recovery of the money he was obliged to receive for the use of the Corporation by his contract.

It., that £400 be paid Mess. James and Ebenezer Morrison, at the expiration of three months, in part discharge for their account for timber, &c.; *It.*, £18 3*s.* 8½*d.* to Mrs. Esther Holmes for cloathing supplied the Bellmen and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £42 8*s.* 8*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron work supplied Blackrock Castle from 26 March, 1765, to 23 May, 1767, said sum not to be paid until Ald. Wrixon and Swete certify the account to be right.

It., that Ald. Westropp and Wrixon, Mr. Burgess Browne, Wrixon, and Butler be a committee to examine the accounts of Mess. James and Ebenezer Morrison, and report.

It., that £11 14*s.* 1*d.* be paid Robt. Heron, cooper, for repairing coal Barrels and 13 new ones supplied.

It., £11 14*s.* to Richard Sinderbee, for weights supplied in the Mayoralties of Ald. Parks, Maylor, and the present Mayor.

That no money hereafter shall be paid out of the Corporation Revenues for weights for the use of the Corn Market.

It., £10 0*s.* 6*d.* to Roger Oulden for mason's work from 16 Nov., 1766, to 15 Nov., 1767; *It.*, one guinea a month to George Fuller, one of the Burgesses, being in distressed circumstances.

That Giles Busteed, gent., having served W^m. Snowe, gent., be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Ald^en. Owgan, Westropp,

Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Swete, J. Smith, Parks, Maylor, Wetherall, Franklin; Burgess Browne, Denroch, Connor, and the Recorder.

12 *Aug.*, 1768.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Franklin, Parks; Mr. Denroch and Connor.

13 *Aug.*, 1768.

That the Rt. Hon. Earl of Barrymore and the Rt. Hon. Isaac Barre, Esq., Vice Treasr. of this kingdom, be presented with their freedoms in silver boxes; and John Baldwin, gent., eldest son of Ald. Baldwin, *dec.;* John Paul, cooper, eldest son of John Paul, *do., dec.;* William Burton, Esq., eldest son of Rt. Hon. Benj. Burton, Esq., *dec.;* John Sealy, Esq., eldest son of Saml. Sealy, Esq., *dec.;* Vesian Moses Pick, Mercht., having served Wm. Rickotts, mer.; Thomas Harding, mer., having served Joseph Gray, mer.; Kyrle Ward, shipwright, having served William Evans, *do.;* William Cuthbert, mer., having served John Cuthbert, *do.;* Hugh Shewcraft, mer., having served Mark Draper, *do.;* Edmond Chapman, butcher, having served Joshua Coe, *do.;* Thomas Shinkwin, mer., having served Mr. Burgess Webb, Thomas Browne, cooper, having served William Lane, *do.;* Pope Gray, mer., eldest son of Joseph Gray, mer.; William Coe, butcher, eldest son of Saml. Coe, *do., dec.;* be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Alden. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Swete, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon; Burgess Browne, Denroch, Connor, and Jones, C. S.

7 *Sep.*, 1768.

Ordered, that the Gateage Tolls (and other Tolls, &c.,) be set to public cant (same terms as before).

It., that £60 *per annum* be the Waterbailiff's salary (duties, &c., as before).

This day the Mayor Elect was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council, and Mr. John Franklin was sworn C. S.

Resolved unanimously, that the agreement of the Council 19 June, 1764,

restraining the Council from making freemen for a term of seven years, is hereby rescinded, said agreement being improvidently conceived, and tending to take away the powers vested in the Council by the bye-laws and ancient usage.

That Edmond Hoare, Esq., M.P. for Carlow; Thomas Eyre, Esq., M.P.; William Hull, Esq., M.P.; Moore Disney, Esq.; Mathias Hendley, Esq.; John Carleton, of Darling Hill, Esq.; Sampson Stawell, Esq.; James Bernard, Esq.; Henry Puxley, Esq.; Thomas Grant, Esq.; Robt. Tilson Deane, Esq.; Joseph Capel, Esq.; Henry Peard, Esq.; Isaac Hewett, Esq.; Randal Roberts, of Britfieldstown, Esq.; Robt. Ball, Esq.; Richard Croker, Esq.; Michæl Goold, Esq., eldest son of Walter Goold, Esq., *dec.;* Robt. Bullen, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that the Chamberlain pay the widow of the late Recorder a quarter's salary due at his death.

It., that £14 0*s.* 7*d.* be paid Mr. Edmond Browning for newspapers and Votes of the House of Commons.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, J. Smith; Mr. Browne, Denroch, J. Franklin, C. S., the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

12 *Sep.*, 1768.

This day Will. Snowe, Esq., was elected Pub. Not., Clerk of the Crown and Peace for the City and Co. of the City of Corke, in the room of Anthony Lane, *dec.;* also Clerk of the Council *vice* Anth. Lane, *dec.*

Ordered, that a C. D. H. be held 20 Sep. to elect a Town Clerk in the room of Anthony Lane, *dec.*

It., a pension of £20 a year be paid the widow of Anthony Lane, Esq., *dec.*

That Savage French, jun., mer., having served Savage French, Esq., be admitted free.

It., £500 for the salary of the Mayor for the ensuing year.

It., £100 for contingencies for ensuing year.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Mathias Smith, Hodder, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Wrixon,

J. Smith, Philpott, Bury, Maylor; Mr. Denroch, Franklin, C. S., Browne, and the Recorder as adviser of the Council.

28 *Sep.*, 1768.

Ordered, that £42 14*s.* be paid Ald. John Smith for ale supplied the army on Rejoicing days, from 22 Oct., 1759, to 4 Nov., 1760; *It.*, £8 0*s.* 1*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron work supplied the Waterbailiffs from 31 July, 1766, to 21 Feb., 1768; *It.*, £38 14*s.* 2½*d.* to Ald. Maylor, amount of costs he was put to on an application to the Court of K. B. by Michæl Crow, baker, for an attachment on account of said Maylor's, acting as Mayor of this City, fining said Crowe for light bread, and which application was dismissed by the Court; *It.* 2 guineas to George Fuller, one of the burgesses, being in indigent circumstances.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. French and Lawton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, J. Smith; Burgess Browne, Denroch, and Connor.

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Noblet Rogers, Esq., Mayor.

14 *Oct.*, 1768.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs took the oath of Common Council men during office.

Ordered, that £60 13*s.* 3*d.* be paid Patrick Osborne, the balance of his account for stuccoing the staircase and lobby of the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £11 7*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Burgess Wrixon and Butler, to buy a clock for the Mayoralty House.

It., that a memorial be sent to the Lo.-Lieut., praying an embargo to prevent the exportation of Corn, Meal, and Potatoes for a limited time.

It., 8 guineas to Rev^d. Michæl Tisdal, for as many occasional Sermons.

It., that the one hundred-part share of the profits of pipes and water, &c., to have been granted by the Mayor, &c., to Anth. Lane, *dec.*, be granted to Mr. John Franklin, mer., his heirs, &c., paying a proportionable part of the expenses.

That Henry Hervy Aston, Esq., High Sheriff of co. Chester (now in this City), be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

It., that the state of the Case relative to Norton Parr, Francis Wise, and Roger Langley, the Lamp Contractors, with regard to the money appointed by Act of Parliament to be received by them for the use of the Corporation, be drawn up by the Clerk of the Council, and by him laid before the Recorder, or such other Lawyer as he shall appoint, and that Mr. Wrixon, agent, wait on such lawyer in Dublin.

It., 3 guineas to Mr. Sheriff Kent, for repairing several dangerous holes in Castle Street and Paul Street, so as to make said streets passable until the next assizes. *It.*, that a guinea a month be paid George Fuller, being indigent.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Ald^en. Owgan, Millerd, Westropp, Bury, Franklin, Maylor, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, J. Smith, Mr. Browne, Denroch, Franklin, C. S., and the Recorder as adviser.

25 *Oct.*, 1768.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wrixon, J. Smith, Mr. Denroch, and Franklin, C. S.

29 *Oct.*, 1768.

This day Will. Busteed, Esq., Waterbailiff, produced his accounts, &c., whereby it appears he paid the Chamberlain £158 14*s.* 2*d.* over and above all other expenses.

Ordered, that one hundred-part share of the profits of the Water, &c., appointed to be granted to John Denroch, mer., by the Mayor, &c., be granted to William Busteed, Esq., his heirs, &c., for 999 years, from 1 June, 1767, said Denroch having declined to accept of a lease of same.

It., £79 13*s.* 7½*d.* to Messrs. Phineas Bagwell and Co., for printing-work; *It.*, £1 11*s.* 6*d.* to Richd. Evans, Exchange porter, for brooms, &c.; *It.*, £4 5*s.* 4½*d.* to Will. Rogers, pewterer, for scales and weights; *It.*, 2 guineas to Mortho Connor, for summoning the different constables and committees; *It.*, £17 12*s.* 4½*d.* to Mrs. Mary Bussy, for candles; *It.*, 5 guineas to the Coroners, as a recompense for their trouble.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldcn. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, J. Smith, Millerd, Mr. Denroch and Franklin, C. S.

16 *Nov.*, 1768.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldcn. Owgan, Philpott, Mr. Browne and Franklin, C. S.

23 *Nov.*, 1768.

Ordered, that 10 guineas be paid the Coroners, recompense for their trouble for six months.

It., A reward of £50 for the conviction of the persons who wounded the soldiers at South gate; *It.*, £7 18*s.* 3*d.* to John Wrixon, Esq., for sundry articles supplied; *It.*, £9 15*s.* to Mr. Peter Cambridge, for flag stones; *It.*, £33 2*s.* 7*d.* to the administrators of Anthony Lane, Esq., *dec.*, for law business; *It.*, £7 16*s.* 6*d.* to Edmond Flaherty, mason, for work done; *It.*,

10 guineas to the overseers of the Mayoralty house, to buy seven globe lamps for the use of said house.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Owgan, Mr. Franklin, C. S., and Denroch.

30 *Nov.*, 1768.

No business done this day.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, and Burg. Browne.

9 *Dec.*, 1768.

No business for want of a sufficient number.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, J. Smith, Owgan, Millerd, Franklin, Burgess Browne, and Mr. Franklin, C. S.

16 *Dec.*, 1768.

Ordered, that £205 12*s.* 11*d.* be paid Messrs. James and Ebenezer Morrison, 25 Mar. next, in full, for timber supplied.

It., that Ebenezer Sargeant buy 50 barrels of coals for the Corporation; *It.*, £9 18*s.* 3*d.* to Eben. Sargent, in full, for sundry articles; *It.*, £2 2*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Mayor, for Bollingbroke's Abridgement, for the Mayor's office; *It.*, that a pension of £20 a year be paid to the widow of Ald. Baldwin, *dec.*; *It.*, £50 to Samˡ. Daly, stone-cutter, for two marble chimney pieces for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £6 to Mr. John Wood, one year and half's rent of the Guard-house, Blackpool; *It.*, £3 5*s.* to George Busteed, for printing the Assize of bread for one year; *It.*, £3 10*s.* to Owen Sullivan, carpenter, for seven weeks' work at Mayoralty House.

Ordered, that the Copper-stands, now in the possession of Mr. Silvester Clarke, be given up by him to Mr. Peter Barker, cooper, whom the Mayor has appointed to make and repair the coal Barrels.

That £200 be paid Timothy Hughes for iron-work; *It.*, 5 guineas to Mr. Sher. Kent, fee paid by him to the Prime Serjeant for his opinion how the Mayor, &c., should act under last insolvent law.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, J. Smith, Franklin, Mr. Browne and Franklin, C. S.

10 *Feb.*, 1769.

No meeting for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Alden. Westropp, Swete, Philpott, Bury, and Wetherall.

13 *Feb.*, 1769.

Ordered, that £5 be paid Mr. James Aickin for a clock for the kitchen of the Mayoralty House.

That Benjamin Bousfield, Esq., eldest son of Thomas B., mer., *dec.;* Richard Lawton, mer., having served his father, John L., mer.; Wm. Dyer, cooper, having served Silvester Clarke, *do.;* Will. Jameson, mer., having served his father, Hugh J., mer.; Wm. Jameson, jun., mer., having served Hugh Jameson; Edwd. Jameson, mer., having served Hugh Jameson; Wray Palliser, Esq., eldest son of John Bury Palliser, Esq.; Wm. Olliff, having served George Newsom; James Bonwell, mer., having served Stephen Mills; Hugh Coggin, having served Thomas Beamish, gent.; Thomas Phillips, gent., son of the Mayor, be admitted freemen.

That a guinea a month be paid Geo. Fuller, being indigent; *It.*, that £500 be borrowed from the Governors of the Work-house, at 5 *per cent.;* *It.*, that 5 guineas be paid Mr. Sher. Kent, to be distributed amongst those who were remarkably active in extinguishing the late fire near the Custom House.

That Ald. Bury, Franklin, and Browne, be a committee to examine Bretridge's and Skiddy's Alms-houses.

It., a pension of £20 a year to the widow of Ald. Lavit.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Bury, J. Smith, Wetherall, Busteed, Mr. Browne and Franklin, C. S.

3 *March*, 1769.

Ordered, that £60 be paid Charles Sweeny, joiner, for work done at the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £8 5*s.* 10½*d.* to Mr. George Graham, for attendance as overseer at the Mayoralty House.

That John Damer, Esq., Council.-at-Law, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, Mr. Browne and Franklin, C. S.

4 *March*, 1769.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, and Mr. Franklin, C. S.

7 *March*, 1769.

That James Robinson, Cooper, having served John Cole, *do.;* Noblet Rogers, gent., eldest son of Noblet R., gent., *dec.;* Noblet Johnson, merchᵗ., having served his father, William J., and his brother Valentine J.; Robert Atkins, gent., eldest son of George A., gent. *dec.;* William Smith, gent., having served Wᵐ. Heard, gent.; Wᵐ. Barter, cooper, having served John Fleming, *do.,* *dec.;* Richard Ward, eldest son of John W., *dec.;* William Rowe, mer., having served Richᵈ. Fuller, mer.; Jasper Masters, mer., having served George Fuller, jun., mer.; Henry Baldwin, Esq., eldest son of Willᵐ. Baldwin, Esq., *dec.;* Francis Mathew, Esq., Knight of the Shire of the Co. Tipperary; Thomas Parker, Esq.; Michæl Mahony, having served Peter Barber and Francis Carleton, Esq.; Arthur Pomeroy, Esq., Knight of the Shire for the Co. Kildare; John Monk Mason, Esq., M.P. for Blessington; Thomas Monk, Esq., M.P. for Leighlin; Francis Vesey, Esq., Master in Chancery; James Johnston, Esq., Council-at-Law; Barry Yelverton, Esq., Council-at-Law; John Hatch, Esq., Council-at-Law, and John Bullen, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £11 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid the overseers of the Mayoralty House, towards erecting the door-case and portico; *It.*, that Miles Cogan, who has been in the City gaol, at the suit of Francis Carleton, Esq., for money due to the Corporation, be discharged, said Cogan being very poor, old, and infirm, and in a perishing condition; *It.*, that Ebenezer Sargent be paid his salary whilst he continued to act as City overseer.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Newman, Westropp, Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, Franklin, Busteed, Mr. Browne and Franklin, C. S.

"We, whose names are hereunto subscribed, apprehend the making of Country gentlemen free of this Corporation to be highly injurious to the revenues of the same, and in a great measure betraying the rights of our fellow citizens, to whom the Charter was originally granted, do think it our duty to give opposition to those measures, and therefore do protest against all these made free this day, except such as have a right by birth or servitude. Dated this 7 March, 1769.—Ad^{m}. Newman, Tho. Browne."

"Rec^{d}. out of the chest the Counterparts of the Corporation fee-farm leases to Robt. Rogers, Esq., No. 19 and 20, in order to show the same to Mr. Rogers. I promise to return the same.—W^{m}. Snowe, Clk."

30 *June*, 1769.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lloyd; Ald^{en}. Westropp, Busteed, Bury, Philpott, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, and Mr. Denroch.

5 *July*, 1769.

The Common Speaker took the oath of Council Man as C. S.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Ald^{en}. Westropp, Franklin, and Mr. Burgess Browne, with those of C. D. H., be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts from 29 Sep., 1766, to 29 Sep., 1767.

That the Hon. Richard Barry, Hon. Arthur Barry, and Hon. John Smith Barry be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that 10 guineas be paid the Coroners for their trouble for six months; *It.*, 2 guineas to Mortho Connor for summoning the Constables and Committees to attend Mr. Mayor; *It.*, £1 10*s.* 8*d.* to Timothy Lion and John Barry for Sawyer's work for the use of the Mayoralty House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Ald^{en}. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor; Mr. Denroch, and Lawton, C. S.

26 *July*, 1769.

Ordered, that an entertainment be prepared by Mr. Mayor at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug., not to exceed £20.

This day Thomas Browne, one of the overseers for the repair of North Gate Bridge, produced his account, and it being examined, it appearing that a balance of £3 8*s.* 2½*d.* remains on his hands, ordered, that same be paid over to the Chamberlain.

Whereas it appears by the Chamberlain's accounts that the sum of £470 18*s.* 9½*d.* is due to this Corporation for the Gateage, North and South Milk Markets from Daniel Norcott and William Norcott to 24 June; ordered, that the Chamberlain do immediately apply and sue for said money.

It., that £48 2*s.* 4*d.* be paid Esther Holmes for necessaries supplied for several boys apprenticed from the Blue Coat Hospital from 28 Feb., 1768, to 9 June, 1769; *It.*, £14 11*s.* 8*d.* to said Holmes for cloathing supplied the Bellmen and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £9 3*s.* 6*d.* to Edmond Browning for Newspapers supplied the Corporation; *It.*, 15*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Mayor, expense of a Green Curtain for the middle door of the Dining Room of the Mayoralty House.

This day Alden. Wrixon, Bury, and Philpott report that they had examined the accounts of Ald. Westropp relative to S. Stephen's Hospital to 1 Aug., 1768, and that there is a balance of £71 3*s.* 2½*d.* due to said Westropp.

Ordered, that the several orders made in the Council Books relative to S. Stephen's Hospital, from 22 Sep., 1759, be transcribed into the Hospital Book, and for the future all orders be entered in the Hospital Book and no other.

It., that Rev. James Weekes be appointed Chaplain to the Corporation in the room of the Rev. Michael Tisdall, removed to a living in the Co. Cork; *It.*, £11 17*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Will. Reynolds, silversmith, for three Silver boxes with the freedoms of the Hon. Richard, Arthur, and John Smith Barry; *It.*, £19 19*s.* 7*d.* to said Reynolds for silversmith's work done; *It.*, 1 guinea a month for 6 months to Geo. Fuller, burgess, who is in very indigent circumstances.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent; Alden. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Smith, Maylor; Mr. Browne, and Denroch.

8 *Aug.*, 1769.

This day the Mayor elect was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that £71 3*s.* 2½*d.* due Ald. Westropp, Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, be paid, to be accounted for on the loan from said Hospital to Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms houses.

This day Ald. Franklin and Mr. Browne reported that they examined the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., relative to Bretridge and Skiddy's Alms houses, and that there is a balance of £156 19*s.* 10*d.* due of him, and that the sum of £63 is due out of the lands of Drumcummer for one year's rent ending 25 March, and also £70 for one year's rent due 1 May last, of the ground on which said Alms houses were formerly erected, and that the old soldiers and old widows have been paid to 29 July; *It.*, that a power of attorney be executed by the Mayor, &c., to Francis Carleton, Esq., to receive the rent of Drumcummer and destrain for the same.

It., that Ald. Westropp, Franklin, with those of the C. D. H., be overseers to repair South Bridge, and that £100 be paid them to execute such repairs; *It.*, that £25 a year be paid Rev^d^. James Weeks, Corporation Chaplain, to do duty at North Gaol and Blue Coat Hospital, in same manner as the Rev^d^. Michæl Tisdall; *It.*, that £47 3*s.* 3½*d.* be paid Ald. Owgan, expenses of an attachment granted against him at the prosecution of one Cornelius Coursey for his determining a cause against said Coursey as one of the Aldermen of the ward; *It.*, 10*s.* to W^m^. Bleasby for 20 Bar. of hair.

It, that four Mahogany bedsteads with sacking bottoms, and four deal bedsteads with *do.*, be provided for the use of the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that £29 19*s.* be paid Mr. W^m^. Snowe, his bill of costs.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wrixon, Franklin; Mr. Denroch and Browne.

14 *Aug.*, 1769.

No business for want of a sufficient number.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Philpott, Wrixon; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Lawton, C. S.

16 *Aug.*, 1769.

Ordered, that £50 be paid Timothy Hughes, part of his account for iron work.

That Robt. Fitz Gerald, Esq., M.P. for Dingle Icouch; Thomas Kelly, Esq., one of His Maj. Council-at-Law; Thomas Fitz Gibbon, Esq., *do.*; James

Shiel, Esq., *do.*, be admitted freemen, and the Rt. Hon. Lo. Chief Baron Foster, Judge of Assize, in a Silver box; also Rev. William Lill, Esq.; Charles O'Hara, Esq.; William Lyster, Esq., Council-at-Law; Sir Lucius O'Brien, Bart., Knt. of the Shire of the Co. Clare; Agmondisham Vesey, Esq., M.P. for Kinsale; Eyre French, Esq.; Abraham Stewart, Esq.; Earberry Hendley, Esq.; Rowland Jackson, Esq.; Arthur Norcott Pedder, Esq., Council-at-Law; James Langton, Esq.; James Godsell, Esq.; Thomas Boles, Esq.; Rodolphus Kent, Esq.; Pierse Power, of Glin, Co. Waterford, Esq.; Rev. Thomas Widenham, Esq.; Roger Bernard, Esq.; Brian Fenucan, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, William Purefoy, Esq., and Hugh Carmichael, freemen at large.

Whereas it appears that George Mannix, a half-pay officer, with others unknown, did on Sunday evening, 30 July last, forcibly enter the dwelling-house of William Rawlings, of Mallow Lane, gent., and there assaulted said Rawlings, and forcibly conveyed out of the said house into the street Mary Ann Rawlings, daughter of said William, with intent feloniously to carry her away to marry her to one of said persons; now, in order to bring such atrocious offenders to punishment, ordered, that a memorial in the name of this Board be sent to the Lo. Lieut. and Privy Council, praying a proclamation to apprehend said Mannix and the other offenders, and also praying pardon, except said Mannix, for whosoever shall prosecute to conviction.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Wetherall, J. Smith, Maylor, Chatterton, Wrixon, Philpott, Franklin; Mr. Denroch and Lawton, C. S.

30 *Aug.*, 1769.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lloyd; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Franklin, and Wrixon.

1 *Sep.*, 1769.

Ordered, that the Hon^l^. Mr. Townsend, eldest son of the Lo. Lieut., if he should come to this City with his Excellency, be presented with his freedom at large in a Gold box,

It., that four dozen of chairs be bought for the drawing-room at the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that £20 a year be paid the widow of Ald. Taylor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Chatterton, Wrixon, Westropp, Millerd, Franklin, Philpott, Parker; Mr. Browne, and Lawton, C.S.

12 *Sep.*, 1769.

Ordered, that the Gateage (except turf, furze, and timber in faggots, linen, and linen yarn), North and South Milk Market, Corn Market, and dues, be set to the highest bidder (as before).

It., that £60 be paid the Waterbailiff for one year, to receive the Mayor's dues, &c. (as before).

It., £5 18*s.* to William Lamphier for lime supplied by him; *It.*, £2 4*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. Mayor, being the expenses of a green curtain for the Guard room and mending the Corporation sword; *It.*, a pension of £30 to Ald. Chatterton; *It.*, that Ebenezer Sargent buy 100 barrels of coal for the use of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kent and Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Chatterton; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Lawton, C. S., and Recorder as adviser.

27 *Sep.*, 1769.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Busteed, Wrixon, Philpott, and Mr. Denroch.

29 *Sep.*, 1769.

That Christopher Lloyd, Esq.; Samuel Ford, clothier, having served Francis Allen, *do.*; Samˡ. Lloyd, gent.; George Hely, gent.; Roger Hendly, gent.; Robert Hendly, gent.; Christopher Hendly, gent.; Henry Duqueroy, gent.; James Connor, gent.; Giles Busteed, of Ballinrea, gent.; Rowland Jackson Connor, gent.; Barth. Jenison, gent.; Nicholas White, gent.; Benj. White, gent.; Newth Jenkins, watchmaker; Christopher Knight, gent.; Richard Daunt, gent.; Watkins Roberts, gent.; Winthrop Baldwin, Esq.; Elias Wrixon, Esq.; Robᵗ. Wrixon, gent.; and Edward Cooke, butcher, be admitted freemen.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lloyd; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Owgan, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor; Mr. Browne, and Lawton, C. S.

"We dissent to all the foregoing orders for admitting the several persons freemen of this City, except such as have undoubted rights to their freedom by birth or servitude (and likewise for the Mayor), who proposed them, not knowing either the persons or places of abode of many of them."—Harding Parker, Hugh Millerd, Thos. Browne.

20 *Oct.*, 1769.

Godfrey Baker, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs were sworn Common Council men.

Ordered, that a lease of the present Cattle Market, with the addition of three quarters of an acre of ground adjoining, pursuant to the map now showed to the Council, be taken by the Mayor, &c., from Abraham Morris, Esq., and Jonas Morris, Esq., at a yearly rent of 30 guineas, for a term of ten thousand years, from 24 June next.

It., that a Corporation bond be passed to the trustees for supplying this City with water for 150 guineas at 5 *per cent.*, being the second subscription of six guineas on the 25 shares of said water, belonging to this Corporation.

It., that £39 9*s.* be paid Andrew Dalton, carpenter, for repairing the cupola of the Exchange.

It., £20 to John Rogers for painting and gilding the four dial-plates of the Exchange clock.

It., £31 12*s.* 4½*d.* to Mess. Saml. and George Beale, merchts., for lead sold by them; *It.*, 13*s.* 10½*d.* to Jacob Jervois for Turner's work; *It.*, 18*s.* 8*d.* to Joseph Harris for sixteen yards of green Camblet for a curtain for the door of the dining-room at the Mayoralty House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bousfield and Kellet; Aldens. Newman, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Phillips, Franklin, Owgan, Wrixon; Mr. Browne, and Lawton, C. S.

31 *Oct.*, 1769.

Ordered, that the Memorial now read in the name of the Mayor, &c., to the House of Commons, praying the aid of Parliament for purchasing the houses at Goulnaspurra, to enlarge the passage, be engrossed and delivered to Ald. Millerd to be carried to Dublin; and that another Memorial to the Lo.-Lieut. be prepared by the Clerk of the Council, and that Ald. Millerd

be appointed to go to Dublin to solicit said memorials, and that letters be written to the several Members of Parliament that are free of this City, and signed by the Mayor, praying their support.

It., that one guinea a day be paid Ald. Millerd for his expenses going to Dublin to solicit the application for money, and also the expenses of the hire of a Post-chaise to and from Dublin.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bousfield and Kellet; Ald^en^. Newman, Owgan, Millerd, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, J. Smith, Wrixon, Franklin; Mr. Browne and Lawton, C. S.

3 *Nov.*, 1769.

This day the Memorials with regard to Goulnaspurra were read and signed, and Ald. Millerd desired to wait on our Members in Parliament to have same presented.

That the Rt. Hon. Sir George Macartney, Bart., Principal Sect. to Lo.-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

This day Ald. Busteed produced the Waterbailiffs's dues from 29 Sep., 1768, to 29 Sep., 1769, whereby it appears he received £131 18*s.* 10*d.* over and above all charges.

That W^m^. Stawell, Esq.; Hugh Massey, Esq., Knt. of the Shire for co. Limerick; Phineas Bury, jun., having served his father, Ald. Bury; James Kearny, Esq., M.P. for Kinsale; Henry Sadler, clothier, having served Rich^d^. Pope, *do.*; W^m^. Kellett, Esq., brother of Mr. Sheriff Kellett, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bousfield and Kellet; Ald^en^. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Bury, Maylor, Franklin, Wrixon, and Mr. Browne.

15 *Nov.*, 1769.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bousfield; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Bury, Franklin, and Mr. Browne.

21 *Nov.*, 1769.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Alden. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Bury, Maylor, Philpott, Mr. Browne, and Lawton, C. S.

28 *Nov.*, 1769.

Ordered, that £7 17*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Robt. Delacourt, Esq., costs in the Court of Excheq. against the Corporation; *It.*, £1 3*s.* 8*d.* to Richd. Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, &c.; *It.*, £46 15*s.* 10½*d.* to Richd. Burt, plumber, work done from 17 Nov., 1764, to 13 Nov., 1769 (except the work at the Mayoralty House, not yet settled).

It., that the Memorial now read and signed be sent by the Town Clerk to Mr. Wrixon, Corporation Agent, and that Mr. Wrixon wait on our Members to have it presented to the House of Commons; *It.*, that £82 1*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Patrick Osborne, in full, stuccoing the Drawing-room of the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £60 to Richd. Burt, in part of his account for glazing-work at the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that Sher. Kellett, Ald. Franklin, and Maylor, be a committee to examine the accounts of said Richd. Burt.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Alden. Parker, Newman, Owgan, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Mr. Browne and Lawton, C. S.

14 *Feb.*, 1770.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Aldcn. Owgan, Philpott, Bury, J. Smith, and Mr. Browne.

23 *Feb.*, 1770.

£26 2*s.* 5*d.* to Izod and Lawton, for candles from 1 Dec., 1768, to 22 Feb., 1770; *It.*, £53 0*s.* 6*d.* to Jonathan Wigmore, for four mahogany bedsteads and five mahogany tables for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £2 3*s.* 4*d.* to Saml. Bromel, for four sets of curtain rods for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £92 2*s.* 7*d.* to Timothy Hughes, in full, for iron and other materials supplied the Mayoralty House.

It., £44 6*s.* 7*d.* to Sampson Towgood French and Hugh Lawton, Esq., former Sheriffs of this City, costs they were put to by a vexatious complaint made against them in the Court of K. B. by one Richard Dawson, and from which they were discharged by the Court; *It.*, £31 9*s.* 7½*d.* to Sober Kent and Richard Lloyd, late Sheriffs, costs they were put to by a complaint made against them in the K. B., and from which they were discharged; *It.*, £33 6*s.* 9½*d.* to Rich^d^. Burt, glazier, in full, for work at Mayoralty House; *It.*, £12 to Robt. Heron, cooper, for 15 coal barrels; *It.*, £1 4*s.* 2½*d.* to W^m^. Flyn, for printing and guilding the complimentary cards for the day the Lo.-Lieut. dined with the Corporation; *It.*, £3 5*s.* to John Busteed, for printing the Assize of bread, from 5 Nov., 1768, to 5 Nov., 1769; *It.*, £3 17*s.* 4*d.* to Francis Wise, for plastring hair supplied for Mayoralty house; *It.*, 6 guineas to the Coroners, half a year's allowance; *It.*, 1 guinea a month to Geo. Fuller, who is indigent; *It.*, that the Corporation Bond for 150 guineas be passed to the Trustees for carrying out the Act for Supplying the City with Water, being their third subscription.

That Abraham Clarke, clothier, having served Francis Allen, *do.*; John Lane, gent., eldest son of Anthony Lane, Esq., *dec.*, and Richard Dunscombe, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that the following letter of thanks be sent to the Lord-Lieut., to wit:

"To His Excellency, &c.

"We, the Mayor, &c., beg leave to return your Excellency our most grateful thanks for your friendship and attention to the welfare of this City of Corke, in ordering the removal of the Magazine which is in the centre of our City, and which has been a constant terror to all its inhabitants, to a place of safety, and also giving up the magazine to such public use by the Corporation as shall be approved of by our worthy representative, the Rt. Hon. the Prime Sargeant, &c., and shall always be glad to convince your Excellency how much we are your faithful and obliged servants, &c."

It., that the following letter be written to the Rt. Hon. the Prime Sargeant:

"Dr. Sir,—We, the Mayor, &c., return you our sincere thanks for many services done by you for this City, &c. We beg you to present the letter of thanks to the Lord-Lieut. for the present Magazine, &c. We intend the same, if you approve thereof, for a guard-house for the Main Guard (the present one being in a very inconvenient place), for an officer's room, and keeping the Militia arms of this City, &c." Your humble servants, &c.

It., that £200 be taken at interest from the North Infirmary, at 5 *per cent.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bousfield and Kellett; Aldn. Newman, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Smith, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Mr. Browne and Lawton, C. S.

29 *March*, 1770.

That the Rt. Hon. Richd. Clayton, Esq., Lo. C. J. C. P., and Justice of Assize; also the Hon. Will. Henn, Esq., one of the Justices of H. M. C. K. B., and Justice of Assize, be presented with their freedoms in Silver boxes.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Aldn. Parker, Owgan, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith, J. Wrixon, and Mr. Browne.

4 *May*, 1770.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Aldn. Owgan, Millerd, Smith, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Phillips, and Mr. Browne.

15 *May*, 1770.

Ordered, that Mr. Sober Kent be appointed Overseer of Public Works of this City, at a salary of £20.

It., 12*s.* to William Whiting, upholsterer; *It.*, £15 7*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. Reynolds, silversmith, for four Silver boxes, and mending the Mace; *It.*, £2 19*s.* 2*d.* to Mary Bussy, for candles; *It.*, £35 6*s.* 4*d.* to Mr. Nicholas Wrixon, his bill of costs; *It.*, £7 16*s.* 9*d.* to John Delahoide, tyler, his account; *It.*, £11 13*s.* 11½*d.* to Roger Oulden, mason; *It.*, £5 3*s.* to the widow of the late Ebenezer Sargent, his account.

That Warham Jemmett Browne, merch^t., having served his father, Mr. Thomas B., *do.;* John Travers, gent., eldest son of Boyle T., Esq., *dec.;* David Jones, mer., having served William Willcocks, *do.;* Thomas Chatterton, gent., having served James Chatterton, gent.; Edmond Knapp, eldest son of Francis K., gent., *dec.;* Cornelius Townsend, Esq., eldest son of Horatio T., Esq., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that a posting be put up on the Exchange, to elect an Alderman of the Ward in the room of Ald. Jackson, *dec.*

It., that the ground situate in the North East quarter of this City, formerly taken from . . . . Langford Browne, be taken from him for 99 years, from 1 May, at a yearly rent of £12.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Ald^en. Owgan, Busteed, Smith, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Parks, Philpott; Mr. Browne, and Lawton, C. S.

25 *July*, 1770.

No meeting for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Ald^en. Westropp, Busteed, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, and Mr. Browne.

10 *Aug.*, 1770.

No meeting for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellet; Ald^en. Owgan, Westropp, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, and Phillips.

14 *Aug.*, 1770.

This day the Mayor elect, being approved of by the Lo. Lieut., was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

It., Mr. Rich^d. Lane was sworn of the Common Council as Common Speaker.

It., Mr. John Lane was sworn Dep. Clerk of the Council.

Ordered, that 18*s.* 8*d.* be paid to Joseph Harrison, woollen draper, for 16 yards of camblet for the Mayoralty House.

It., £18 18*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. Henry Rugge, for the entertainment at Black-

rock Castle 1 Aug.; *It.*, £8 5*s.* to Mr. Mayor for four green window curtains for Mayoralty House; *It.*, £9 3*s.* 6*d.* to Ed. Browning for newspapers.

Whereas Mr. Kent, City overseer, hath reported that the Rev^d^. Dean Chinnery hath made a considerable encroachment on part of the Lough ground, ordered, that Sher. Kellet, Ald. Franklin, and Mr. Snowe be a committee to enquire into said encroachment, and wait on the Dean for the restoration of the ground.

It., that Ald. Busteed and Mr. Kent, City overseer, do inspect the canal cutting by Mr. J. Morrison and report whether same will be injurious to the navigation of the river and rights of the Corporation.

It., that a rock in the North Channel opposite the house of Mr. Moore be removed by the water bailiff.

It., that Mr. Kent put the several shambles and Market houses in good repair; *It.*, that £3 13*s.* 1½*d.* be paid Norton Parr for brass weights, a brass fender, and tin work supplied; *It.*, 20 guineas to the Coroners for one year; *It.*, one guinea a month for six months to George Fuller who is indigent.

It., that Mr. Kent buy 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, £43 3*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Snowe, his bill of costs; *It.*, two guineas to Murtho Connor for summoning applotters and constables.

That John Carleton Esq., eldest son of John C., of Darling Hill, Esq., *dec.*; Benjamin Wrixon, merch^t^., having served Ald. Robt. Wrixon and Ald. John Wrixon; George Allen, mer., having served Goodwin Purcell, Daniel Connor, and Rich^d^. Harris; Thomas Garde, cooper, having served George Baker, *do.*; James Fisher, mer., having served Richard Pike and sons; Thomas Andrews, mer., having served Joseph Devonshire and Thomas Strettle, *do.*; Thomas Gregg, mer., having served Stephen Denroch, *do.*; Richard Phillips, gent., eldest son of Ald. Phillips; Francis Carleton, jun., mer; William Denroch, gent.; Richard Power, Esq., M.P. for Tuam; Henry Duquery, Esq., brother-in-law to the Rt. Hon. the Prime Sergeant, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Ald^en^. Westropp, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, Philpott, Newman, Swete; Mr. Browne, and Lane, C. S.

"I dissent to Mr. Rich^d^. Phillips being referred to the C. D. H., being the eldest son of a freeman."—Tho. Browne.

18 *Aug.*, 1770.

Ordered, that the Gateage tolls, &c., be set to the highest bidder (tolls and terms as before), the persons taking any of the above customs, tolls, or dues shall pay the Town Clerk for drawing the leases and filling the bonds.

It., that a convenient Guard house be built on the ground at Blackpool granted by Dr. Brocklesby to the Corporation, remainder of said ground to be laid out for a Market, and that Ald. Newman, Philpott, and Mr. Browne be overseers of the work.

It., that £50 be paid Ann Sargent, widow and exec^r. of Ebenezer S., late City overseer, for two years and half salary due said Ebenezer before his decease.

It., that the Mayor and Ald. Franklin, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to build a convenient market on the ground demised to the Corporation by Mr. Browne.

The report made by Ald. Busteed and Mr. Kent relative to the canal-cutting by Mr. James Morrison being satisfactory, ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor elect, Ald^en. Newman, Wetherall, and Maylor be a committee to view said canal and report whether it will be detrimental to the South Channel and rights of the Corporation.

It., £6 to Mr. John Wood for one year and half rent of the Guard house at Blackpool; *It.*, 5 guineas to Rev^d. James Weeks, Corporation Chaplain, for occasional sermons.

This day Ald. Franklin, Sher. Kellett, and Mr. Snowe reported that they waited on Dean Chinnery touching the encroachment made on the Lough ground, that the Dean answered that he had not designedly taken in any part of the ground, that all he directed his workmen to do was to have his wall built in a straight line, that part of his ground was given, as well as part of the Lough ground taken, by making said line, that he sent for Ebenezer Sargent, City overseer, to attend the striking said line; and the Dean further answered, that for whatever ground taken in from the Lough he was ready to pay such sum as any two Council shall think the fee simple thereof to be worth, or to take a lease from the Corporation at any rent two Council shall think it to be worth; ordered, that Ald. Franklin, Sheriff Kellett, and Mr. Snowe do get a map of said ground drawn, to know what quantity the Dean has taken in from the Lough, allowing him for such ground as he has given on striking the said line.

It., that Mr. Mayor issue a Proclamation offering a reward of £50 to any person who shall conviet one or more of the offenders who lately feloniously assembled in the King's high way in the North Liberties of this City, and cut and destroyed several parcels of goods coming to Corke from Dublin, and part of clothing of his Maj. 58 Reg^{t}. of Foot, coming from Dublin to Kinsale.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Alde^{n}. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Franklin; Mr. Browne, and Lane, C. S.

25 *Aug.*, 1770.

No meeting for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Alde^{n}. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wrixon, J. Smith, and Chatterton.

28 *Sep.*, 1770.

That a sallary of £60 be paid the Waterbailiff (duties as before).

There being a vacancy for an Alderman of the Ward, ordered, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for holding a C. D. H. on 8 Oct. to choose one.

Ordered, that £6 2*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Mayor for sundry articles.

Whereas Will. Busteed, Esq., hath informed this Board that several merchants have refused to pay him several of the water dues, ordered, that the Clerk of the Council do prepare a case, and lay same before the Recorder for advice how to sue in the speediest manner for said dues.

That William Baker, Esq., of Lismakew, in Co. Tipperary, Esq., nephew to Mr. Mayor, be admitted free.

It., that £94 1*s.* 9*d.* be paid Timothy Hughes for iron work; *It.*, £31 0*s.* 11*d.* to James Morrison for timber.

That Benjamin Lloyd, Esq., Council-at-Law, at the request of Mr. Recorder, be admitted free.

It., £83 8*s.* to Henry Wrixon, Esq., on his promissory note, to enable the overseers appointed by the Grand jury at the last assizes for repairing Glaunamought Bridge to proceed on said repairs, as it is apprehended that by delay the public would considerably suffer and the expenses increased.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kellett; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, Chatterton, Phillips; Mr. Browne, and Lane, C. S.

Christopher Collis, Esq., Mayor.

12 *Oct.*, 1770.

This day Mr. Mayor and the Sheriffs were sworn of the Common Council.

It., Will. Busteed produced his accounts of Water Bailiffship from 29 Sep., 1769, to 29 Sep., 1770, whereby it appears he paid the Chamberlain £167 9*s.* 1*d.*, over and above all other expenses.

It., that Mr. Kent, City overseer, provide for the Mayoralty 2 large copper pots, 6 copper stew-pans, 2 large copper sauce-pans, 2 copper baking patty-pans, 4 dozen tin-fluted pans, a cross counter in the office, a shed in the yard, green paragon curtains for two of the bedsteads, and green paragon curtains for two of the rooms; *It.*, £4 11*s.* to W^m^. Rogers, brazier, for three pair of large copper scales, and three sets of large brass weights, and three sets of small *do.*, supplied for the use of the Market Jury; *It.*, a salary of 10 guineas a year to the person who shall be elected Chaplain, for which he is to preach five occasional sermons yearly before the Corporation, and that a silk tippet be bought for him, and that the Rev^d^. Henry Sandiford be hereby appointed Chaplain.

It., that £12 15*s.* 2*d.* be paid Robert Ouldin for lime for Blackrock Castle.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Newman, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Smith, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Phillips, Parks, Philpott, and Lane, C. S.

23 *Oct.*, 1770.

That the Rt. Hon. Geo. de la Poer Beresford, Earl of Tyrone, and Rt. Hon. John Beresford, Knight of the Shire for Co. Waterford, be presented with their freedoms in Silver boxes.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Westropp, Philpott, Parker, Owgan, J. Smith, Maylor, Baker, Franklin, Wrixon, Busteed, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

7 *Nov.*, 1770.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lucas; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, and Bury.

9 *Nov.*, 1770.

Ordered, that Joseph Gabbett, of High Park, Co. Limerick, Esq., brother-in-law to Mr. Mayor, be at the request of Mr. Mayor admitted free at large; also Isaac Cossart, of London, mer., brother to Mr. Sheriff Cossart; and Mr. Thomas Lucas, brother to Mr. Sher. Lucas, be admitted free at large.

It., that a gate be made at the North side of the North Meat Shambles, and Mr. Sober Kent be overseer.

It., that Luke Pritty be appointed scavenger of the several markets, and have the dung he shall collect.

It., £5 6s. 1*d.* to Revd. Mr. James Weekes, late Corporation Chaplain, ballance due for one Sermon by him preached.

It., £4 to Andrew Dalton, Carpenter, for four deal bedsteads with sacking bottoms for Mayoralty House.

It., that Ald. Busteed do erect a new Spit at Cove.

That Thomas Gray Fuller, eldest son of Wm. F., woollen draper; Abraham Foord, eldest son of Richd. F., Esq., *dec.*; Alexander Douglas, goldsmith, having served Wm. Reynolds, *do.*; Will. Daunt, mer., having served Thomas Fuller, mer.; John Sweeny, cooper, having served Wm. Lane, *do.*, and Patrick Walsh, cooper, having served Noblet Johnson, *do.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Alden. Parker, Owgan, Franklin, Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wrixon, Baker, and Lane, C. S.

13 *Nov.*, 1770.

This day the Mayor, &c., granted a license to Michl. Wood, clothier, to purchase coals for sale and keep a yard or cellar for selling same.

Ordered, that the Chamberlain pay Mr. Kevan Izod, for the use of the Trustees for supplying the City with water, the money due on three bonds passed by the Mayor, &c., to said Izod, for the Corporation's three first dividends on the 25 shares for supplying said water.

It., that £8 5*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Sober Kent, for building the Corporation quay behind the South gaol, pursuant to an estimate now before the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Chatterton, Phillips, Baker, Franklin, J. Smith, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

17 *Nov.*, 1770.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Parker, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Wetherall, Franklin, and Swete.

20 *Nov.*, 1770.

Ordered, that Henry Hooft, Esq., Burgomaster of the City of Amsterdam, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box, and George Vanderput, Esq., Captain of H. M. S. the Solebay, now stationed at Corke, in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Maylor, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

7 *Dec.*, 1770.

Ordered, that £15 3*s.* 8*d.* be paid George Seymour, for copper kettles, &c., for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £17 4*s.* 6½*d.* to Willm. Whitney, upholsterer, for curtains for *do.*; *It.*, £1 1*s.* 8*d.* to Rich^d^. Evans, Exchange porter, for brooms, &c.; *It.*, 10 guineas to the Coroners, for half a year's salary.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, J. Smith, Maylor, and Baker.

18 *Dec.*, 1770.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith, Baker, Wrixon, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

22 *Dec.*, 1770.

On application made to this Board by Ald. Parks, Mr. Burgess Rowland

and Willcocks to be indemnified from the cost, &c. of an attachment that issued against them by H. M. Court K. B., for holding improper pleas in a Pye Powder Court, when they were Mayor and Sheriffs of this City. This Board is of opinion they ought not to be indemnified.

It., that a guinea a month for six months be paid George Fuller, one of the Burgesses, being indigent.

It., £21 3*s.* 9*d.* to Timothy Hughes, for iron-work supplied.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Alden. Owgan, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, and Lane, C. S.

12 *Jan.*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Alden. Millerd, Philpott, Bury, J. Smith, Baker, and Franklin.

16 *Jan.*, 1771.

That Mr. Mayor issue a Proclamation offering a reward of 20 guineas to such person as shall within 6 months convict any person who shall sell coals without being first licenced by this Board.

It., that the order of 7 Aug., 1766, appointing Wm. Butler, Esq., to sweep the street from the N. W. corner of the Exchange to South Gate Bridge, be repealed.

It., that Ald. Franklin and Mr. Sher. Lucas make enquiry for one or more places for a public coal yard, and report.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Alden. Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Millerd, Baker, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

26 *Jan.*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Alden. Bury, Chatterton, and Baker.

6 *Feb.*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, and Chatterton.

12 *Feb.*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Philpott, Swete, and Wrixon.

14 *Feb.*, 1771.

This day the Mayor, &c., appointed the public coal yard to be kept in the yard and linny on Haman's Marsh, belonging to Mr. Francis Penrose, at the yearly rent of £22 15*s.*

It., the Mayor, &c., granted a licence to Joseph Merrick, chandler, to purchase coals and keep a cellar, having first, with two sufficient securities, passed a bond to the Mayor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, and Baker.

27 *Feb.*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Baker, and Parker.

2 *March*, 1771.

This day, the Mayor, &c., appointed a public coal yard to be kept in the yard on Lavit's Island, belonging to Mr. John Lawton, at a yearly rent of £30; *It.*, that £22 15*s.* be paid Mr. Francis Penrose for paving the Coal Yard, to be repaid him by Mr. Izod.

This day, the Mayor, &c., signed a Memorial to Parliament, praying a repeal of the Act for the benefit of Insolvent debtors.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, Smith, Baker, and Lane, C. S.

6 *March*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Bury, Maylor, Baker, and Mr. C. S.

9 *March*, 1771.

Ordered, that Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Swete, Bury, Baker, and Sher. Lucas, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts to 29 inst.; *It.*, that £36 3*s.* 8½*d.* be paid Mr. Thomas Price, ship chandler, in full, for tar barrels, &c., supplied from 29 Sep., 1752, to 5 Oct., 1769; *It.*, £33 0*s.* 8*d.* to Mrs. Esther Holmes, for clothing for the Bellmen and Exchange Porter; *It.*, that Patrick Sullivan and Danˡ. Noonane be appointed Scavengers to sweep the streets from North to South Gate, for one year, and that they shall have the benefit of the dung, paying the Chamberlain £10 quarterly; they are to sweep on one day and carry away the sweepings on the next, otherwise any other person to be at liberty to carry away same.

It., that the Salary of the Revᵈ. Henry Sandiford be raised to 20 guineas a year.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Chatterton, Baker, and Lane, C. S.

14 *March*, 1771.

No business this day.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Franklin, J. Smith, Chatterton, Baker, Wrixon, and Lane, C. S.

9 *April*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan and Maylor.

13 *April*, 1771.

This day the Mayor, &c., appointed a public Coal yard to be kept in the yard and linney on Red Abbey Marsh, belonging to Mr. Robᵗ. Baldwin, at a yearly rent of £30.

It., that the Chamberlain do every year give security for the due execution of his office by Bond, with two sufficient securities, the Bond to be of the penalty of £4000, and that the Chamberlain with such security do execute the first bond to be accountable for the money to this Corporation.

It., that £3 5*s.* be paid the Rev^d^. Henry Sandiford, expenses of the tippet bought by him; *It.*, £16 19*s.* 7*d.* to W^m^. Reynolds, for silversmith's work done by him.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

10 *May*, 1771.

Ordered, that £250 be paid to the Trustees of the Will of Moses Deane, Esq., *dec.*, for cloathing, schooling, &c., twenty boys and twenty maidens in the parish of S. Peter, the interest of £1200 paid by S^r^. Robt. Deane, Bart., *dec.*

Whereas at a Council held 8 Aug., 1769, Ald. Franklin and Mr. Burgess Browne reported that they examined the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., relative to Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms-houses, and that there was a balance of £156 19*s.* 10*d.* due of him, and £63 out of the lands of Drumcummer, one year's rent; and also £70 of the ground on which said Alms-houses were formerly erected, and that the old soldiers and widows have been paid in full. Ordered, that said Franklin and Browne be a committee to state the accounts of said Alms-houses to 1 May inst., and report.

It., that the North and South Bridges, and the Main Street from gate to gate, be immediately new paved, and that Mr. Kent see same executed; *It.*, £4 to Mr. John Wood, one year's rent of the Guard House at Blackpool; *It.*, £50 15*s.* 10*d.* to Ald. Westropp, as Master of the Blue Coat Hospital; *It.*, £15 9*s.* 4*d.* to Messrs. Lawton and Izod, for candles; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy for the use of the Corporation 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, £5 a year to Henry Major, late one of the Bellmen, who is very old; *It.*, £13 2*s.* 11*d.* to Richard Burt, for glazier's work.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, J. Smith, Maylor, Franklin, Bury, and Wrixon.

28 *May*, 1771.

This day Ald^en^. Millerd, Bury, Baker, Mr. Sher. Lucas, Mr. Burgess Izod,

Morrison, and Wrixon report, that they have adjusted the Chamberlain's accounts from 29 Sep., 1768, to 29 March, 1771, and that there is a balance of £1418 10*s.* 2¾*d.* due from him to last date; *It.*, that £175 due from Miles and Philip Cogan, and £10 from James and John Curtin and Thomas Barry, being desperate debts, be entered so in the Ledger.

It., that £69 2*s.* be paid Ald. Millerd, expenses going and returning from Dublin on the memorial to Parliament relative to Goulnaspurra; *It.*, £57 12*s.* 9½*d.* be paid Phineas Bagwell, printer and stationer; *It.*, £410 19*s.* 6½*d.* be paid Ald. Parks and Mr. Burgess Rowland and Willcocks, costs under the attachment of the Court of K. B. for holding a Pye Powder Court, when they were Mayor and Sheriffs, pursuant to the ancient usage of this Corporation; *It.*, £8 18*s.* 5*d.* to Ald. Busteed for putting up and securing a perch at the spit at Cove; *It.*, £8 to Robt. Heron, cooper, cost of ten coal barrels; *It.*, that the Chamberlain advance to Henry Wrixon, Esq., £109 0*s.* 6*d.* for finishing the repairs of Glaunamaght Bridge, in the North Liberties of this City, Wrixon passing his promissory note to the Chamberlain for said money, payable 1 Sep. next.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart; Ald^en. Parker, Owgan, Millerd, Busteed, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, Parks, Maylor, Chatterton, Phillips, Baker, Westropp, and Swete.

5 *June*, 1771.

Ordered, that Richard Penhale, mer., having served Greatrakes Smith, *do.*; Thomas Lane, having served William Parker, Esq.; Thomas Brooks, mer., a Protestant foreigner, having come to this City to settle and carry on trade, on payment of 20*s.*; Philip Stubbeman, mer., a Protestant foreigner, *do.*, *do.*; Simeon Henry Hardy, mer., having served Harmer Delahoide, mer.; William Harris, cooper, having served Thomas Harris, *do.*; John Lindsay Barter, cooper, having served John Flemming and Tho. Harris, *do.*; Arthur Collis, gent.; Watkins William Verling, gent.; Robt. Dring, gent.; Samuel Upton, gent.; Thomas Morgan, clothier, having served Edward Scott, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., 2 guineas to Murtho Connor for attending the Mayor's office.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Busteed, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Baker, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

10 *July*, 1771.

Ordered, that Mr. Sheriff Lucas and Cossart; Aldᵉⁿ. Busteed, Franklin, Maylor, and Baker be a Committee to stake the Corporation slab at the South side of the Navigation Wall in the river Lee.

It., that £21 9*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Timothy Hughes for iron work and money paid Norton Parr for tinning the Corporation Kettles and Pots at the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that £125 be paid the Trustees for conducting the pipe-water scheme, being the Corporation's fifth dividend on 25 shares; *It.*, 10 guineas to the Coroners for half a year's salary; *It.*, £108 7*s.* 5*d.* to Andrew Dalton, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £9 3*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Edmond Browning, for newspapers; *It.*, a guinea a month for six months to George Fuller, who is very indigent; *It.*, that the Necessary house on the Blind Quay near North Bridge, be repaired by Andrew Dalton.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Maylor, Busteed, Wrixon, J. Smith, Baker; Mr. Browne, and Lawton, C. S.

24 *July*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Owgan, Millerd, Philpott, and Mr. Browne.

26 *July*, 1771.

Ordered, that an entertainment be prepared by Mr. Mayor at Blackrock Castle for 1 Aug. next.

It., that a loft for a meal market be built over such part of the new Market Houses now building at Blackpool as shall be thought fit by the present overseers; *It.*, £3 3*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. Dodsworth Mitchell, amount of a bill of costs; *It.*, that a well be sunk, and a pump erected, and a sewer made to the river in the new root market now building near the Bridewell, as the overseers shall think most proper, no private sewer to be permitted to be carried into the same; *It.*, Mr. Snowe apply in the name of this board to Arthur Newbury, Esq., Sec. to the Linen Board, for fifty wheels and runners for winding thread for the use of the work house of this City.

That the Rt. Hon. James Baron Lifford, Lo. High Chancellor of Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Wrixon, J. Smith; Mr. Browne, and Lawton, C. S.

31 *July*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, D. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Parker, Westropp, and Millerd.

6 *Sep.*, 1771.

Ordered that the Tolls of the City be set by public cant, &c.; *It.*, £60 to the Waterbailiff for one year (conditions as before); *It.*, a pension of £10 a year to the widow of George Fuller.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Parker, Westropp, Owgan, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wrixon, J. Smith, and Baker.

20 *Sep.*, 1771.

Ordered, that the Charters of this City and the old Council Book be given to the Town Clerk, to have a case stated relative to some of the rights of the Corporation, to be laid before the Recorder; *It.*, that the Town clerk wait on Sergeant Dennis with a case relative to the late Insolvent Act depending in the Court of Record of this City, in conjunction with the Recorder, and that the Town Clerk give Serg^t^. Dennis a fee of 3 guineas.

It., that 6 guineas be given the Recorder for drawing two addresses to the Government.

That Benson Lawton, having served John Lawton, mer.; Henry John Philpott, gent., eldest son of Ald. Philpott; John Forster, having served James Huleatt Creed, butcher; Rev^d^. James Hingston, Clk., eldest son of William H., gent., *dec.;* Thomas Grant, Esq., eldest son of Luke Grant, Esq., *dec.;* Mathew Freeman, Esq., eldest son of W^m^. Freeman, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large; also the Rt. Hon. Lord Viscount Palmerston, one of the Lords of the Admiralty, in a Silver Box; and Sir William Mayne, Bart., M.P.; Roger Connor, Esq., and W^m^. Collis, Esq., freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Cossart and Lucas; Ald^en^. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Chatterton; Mr. Denroch, Lawton, C. S., and Mr. Recorder.

25 *Sep.*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lucas; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, and Philpott.

21 *Oct.*, 1771.

John Webb, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Sheriffs were sworn of the Common Council.

Whereas the present Market days, Wednesdays and Saturdays, are found inconvenient by the Citizens and Country, by the quantity of wheat and oats brought to Market on said days, ordered, that said markets shall be held on every Tuesday and Friday in every week for the sale of oats and the usual days for wheat.

It., that Mr. Mayor and Henry Wrixon, Esq., do draw on the Chamberlain for £200 to buy chimney-pieces, finish the front, and decorate the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that the Recorder complete the Acts of Parliament to the present time; that £1 13*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Rich^d^. Evans, Exchange Porter, for brooms, &c.

It., that 12 feet from the Main street, in depth, of the ground on which the late house of Mr. Henry Rugge stood, be purchased by the Corporation, and that the Commissioners appointed for opening and enlarging public ways be applied to to treat with the proprietor for the purchase, and in case of his refusal, to do as they are empowered by Act of Parliament.

That Mr. Thomas Webb, at the request of the Mayor, be admitted free.

It., that Ann Upington be continued to take care of the clocks at the Exchange, same salary as her late husband.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Puxley; Ald^en^. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Baker, Collis, and Mr. C. S.

28 *Oct.*, 1771.

This day Ald. Franklin and Mr. Browne report, that they had examined the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., relative to Bretridge's and Skiddy's Alms houses and that there is a balance of £342 10*s.* 3*d.* due of him, that Bretridge's men and Skiddy's women are paid in full, and that £48 English is due from the Vintners' Company of London for two years' annuity, and

£63 from the lands of Drumcummer, and £35 half year's rent of the ground on which four houses are built in Goulnaspurra, and £10 two years' rent of the ground facing the Corn Market.

Ordered, that Mr. Carleton do transfer the above £342 10*s.* 3*d.* to the credit of the Corporation, on account of the sum of £920 of the money of the Blue Coat Hospital advanced for Bretridge and Skiddy's Alms houses.

It., that the Commissioners appointed by act of Parliament for widening the passages of this City do treat with John Rye, Esq., for the purchase of the ground on which the late house of Mr. Henry Rugg stood, and report what same is worth.

This day Ald. Busteed laid his accounts as waterbailiff before the Council, £133 4*s.* 9*d.* over and above all expenses.

It., that the following letter of thanks be sent to the Right Hon. John Hely Huchinson, one of our representatives—

"Sir,—We return you our sincere thanks for your attachment to the interests of this City, and are fully assured that nothing in your power will be left undone that can conduce to the honour and interest of the trade thereof. There are many laws wanting for the good government of this City, more than we can enumerate in this letter; our Recorder has taken down the heads of the laws we want, and with which he will wait on you on his return to Dublin.—Yr. faithful servants, &c."

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Puxley; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, J. Smith, Wrixon, Baker, Collis; Mr. Browne and Mr. Recorder.

4 *Nov.*, 1771.

Whereas a suit in ejectment hath been commenced by Edwd. Roche, Esq., in His Maj. Court of Excheq., against the Mayor, &c., for recovering on the title part of the Exchange of this City, ordered, that defence be taken in the name of the Mayor, &c., and that a bill in equity be filed against said Roche, to set forth under what title he claims said part of said Exchange, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Alden. Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, J. Smith, Collis, Bury, Baker, and Mr. Browne.

22 *Nov.*, 1771.

It is the opinion of this Council that the Trustees of the Will of Moses Deane, Esq., *dec.*, be summoned to meet at the Council Chamber next Wednesday, at 11, to appoint a Committee to adjust the accounts of the Charities left by said will, from the time of the death of said Moses Deane, with Savage French, Esq., exec^r^. of Sampson Towgood French, Esq., *dec.*, exec^r^. of Sampson Towgood, Esq., *dec.*, who was exec^r^. of said Moses Deane.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Baker, Mr. Browne and Lawton, C. S.

27 *Nov.*, 1771.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Bury, Baker, and Mr. Browne.

28 *Nov.*, 1771.

Ordered, that £54 be paid Esther Holmes for necessaries supplied for several boys apprenticed from the Blue Coat Hospital, from 20 Nov., 1769, to 21 Aug., 1771, to be accounted for on the loan, &c.

It., that the following letter be written to the Recorder by the Clerk of the Council:

Council Chamber, Corke, 28 Nov., 1771.

D^r^. Sir,—"By directions of the Mayor, &c., I am to inform you, that in consequence of the agreement that the Council had entered into between them, as trustees of the will of Moses Deane, Esq., and Mr. Savage French, for settling the accounts of the charitable donations of Mr. Deane, a committee was appointed in writing (a copy is enclosed) and signed by the Mayor, &c., but this day Mr. French attended the Council, and has declined submitting to have the accounts in his possession settled by the committee in the amicable manner it was first agreed upon, so that no method now remains but a compulsary one to oblige Mr. French to settle those accounts. You will please to let the Rt. Hon. the House of Lords know of this transaction, that their Lordships may take such steps as they think most expedient."

Whereas several necessary laws are wanting for the good government of this City, ordered, that Mr. Snowe, Town Clerk, proceed to Dublin, to solicit the obtaining of such laws, and that 100 guineas be paid him to defray his expenses.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Alden. Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith, Mr. Browne, and Mr. C. S.

23 *Dec.*, 1771.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor and Mr. Wrixon do finish the entrance to the Mayoralty House, according to the plan.

There being two vacancies for an Alderman of the Ward for this City, ordered, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for holding a C. D. H. on 6 Jan. to choose an Alderman to fill said vacancy.

Whereas an ejectment is brought on the title by Edward Roche, Esq., against this Corporation for part of the Exchange, ordered, that no payment of rent be made until the suit is decided.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Alden. Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Mr. C. S.

14 *Jan.*, 1772.

Ordered, that £6 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid Francis Carleton, Esq., the amount of Mr. Wrixon's bill of costs and fee paid the Prime Sargeant for his opinion on the late Insolvent Act, which was paid by Carleton to Wrixon.

Whereas it appears that several persons unknown, supposed to be journeymen weavers, did riotously meet on 11 Jan. inst. and forcibly enter the dwelling-house of Joseph Harrison, of Goulnaspurra, Woollen-draper, and cut, destroy, and carry away part of his goods. In order to bring such offenders to punishment, ordered, that 100 guineas be paid any person who within twelve months shall convict such offenders.

It., that 10 guineas be paid the Coroners for half a year's salary.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Alden. Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Smith, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith; Mr. Browne and Denroch.

21 *Jan.*, 1772.

Ordered, that 3 guineas be paid Will. Verling., Esq., for drawing two memorials, and for his opinion on the power of constables.

It., that a Memorial in the name of this Board be sent the Lo.-Lieut., and P. C. praying a Proclamation to issue, to apprehend any persons concerned in the riot and felony committed on Mr. Harrison's house, and also praying pardon to any of said offenders who shall convict same within 12 calendar months.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Ald^en^. Newman, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Browne, Denroch, and Mr. C. S.

24 *Jan.*, 1772.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—J. Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Franklin, J. Smith, Baker, Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Mr. C. S.

31 *Jan.*, 1772.

Whereas the Mayor has received a letter from the Prime Sargeant, dated 19 Jan. inst., enclosing the heads of an intended Popery Bill for giving them liberty of building in cities and towns corporate and desiring their instruction. It is the opinion of this Council that the answer this day written by the Mayor and produced is a proper one.

Ordered, that 200 guineas be paid the Committee of Merchants of this City, for regulating of trade and preventing all unlawful combinations of journeymen, tradesmen, &c., and prosecuting all such concerned in riots and meetings detrimental to the peace and trade of this City.

It., that £27 16*s.* 4*d.* be paid Ald. Westropp, Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, balance of his account to 4 Dec., 1771, to be accounted for on the loan, &c.; *It.*, that £39 7*s.* 3*d.* be paid Richard Gwinn, for tyler work done, sworn before Ald. Bury, and certified by Sober Kent, City Overseer; *It.*, £58 8*s.* 9½*d.* to Richard Burt, glazier, for work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Baker, Mr. Browne and Denroch.

4 *Feb.*, 1772.

Ordered, that 20 copies of a written paper produced to the Council be printed and posted up in the public places of this City, and inserted in Bagnell's Paper.

It., that the expenses of an Act of Parliament, now soliciting in Dublin

for the regulating of the City of Cork, be paid out of the Corporation revenues; *It.*, that £172 2*s.* 7½*d.* be paid Rich^d^. Burt, glazier.

That William Leycester, mercht., having served Harmer Delahoide and John Digby, merch^t^.; Daniel Knight, mercht., having served Danl. Knight, *do.*; Geasly Wheeler, mercht., having served Will. Willcocks, *do.*; Michæl Busteed Westropp, Esq., eldest son of Ralph W., Esq., *dec.*, and Thomas Moore, merch^t^., having served Joseph Gray, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £4 11*s.* be paid William Rogers, for scales and weights supplied the Market Jury.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Puxley; Ald^en^. Millerd, Smith, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Parks, Baker, Mr. Browne, Denroch and Lawton, C. S.

8 *Feb.*, 1772.

Ordered, that the following advertisement be inserted in Bagnall's Paper: "Whereas the different leases of the stalls in the front Meat Market have expired, notice is hereby given that the stalls will be set, proposals to be sent to the Mayor, and that 100 copies of the advertisement be posted up in the public parts of this City."

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Ald^en^. Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Smith, Swete, Bury, Philpott, Franklin, Mr. Browne.

18 *Feb.*, 1772.

Whereas the Committee of Merchants have this day laid before the Council the heads of an Act of Parliament for better regulating trade, ordered, that they be transmitted to Will. Snowe, Esq., to be laid by him before the Prime Sargeant, and other lawyers employed in framing an Act, and that those heads be made part of said Act, and that said Snowe do draw on Mr. Gerard Fehrman, Treasurer to the Committee of Merchants, for the expenses he shall be at.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Mr. Browne, Denroche, and Mr. C. S.

8 *April*, 1772.

Ordered, that the Prime Sargeant be entertained at the Corporation expense, and that the Sheriffs, Ald. Franklin and Baker, Mr. Denroch, and the C. S. be a committee to conduct said entertainment.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley and Wrixon; Ald^en^. Newman, Parker, Owgan, Westropp, Smith, Franklin, Wrixon, J. Smith, Parks, Maylor, Baker, Collis, Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Lawton, C. S.

17 *April*, 1772.

Whereas the late Henry Moore, Esq., did by his will and testament bequeath unto the Trustees of the North Infirmary the sum of £40, upon condition that the Corporation would take same at interest, and pay such interest for ever, for the use of said Infirmary, and if they refuse, said Moore did bequeath said sum to his executrix; ordered, that said sum be taken at interest at 5 *per cent.* by the year.

It., we are informed that a clause has been introduced into the act for this City, impowering the Grand Jury at each Assizes to raise certain sums for additional salaries for the Clerk of the Crown and Peace, or Town Clerk and Treasurer, without any directions from this Board; ordered, that the Prime Sargeant be requested next Sessions to apply to have said clauses repealed, and that Mr. Lane do wait on him with a copy of this order.

It., several complaints have been made by the inhabitants of this City, of the Coal Porters demanding more than the usual and accustomed hire for landing and carrying coal to the different parts of this City. Now we, the Mayor, &c., having considered the same, do find the usual price to be the proper hire for landing same, &c.; therefore we regulate the price for landing, &c., at not more than one halfpenny per Barrel for landing.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Ald^en^. Owgan, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, J. Smith, Parks, Baker, Mr. Browne, and Denroch.

25 *April*, 1772.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—J. Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Mr. Browne and Lawton, C. S.

29 *April*, 1772.

Nothing done.—J. Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Ald^en^. Newman, Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Smith, Philpott, Bury, J. Smith, Baker, Franklin, Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Lawton, C. S.

27 *May*, 1772.

Ordered, that Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Baker, Franklin, Sher. Puxley and Mr. Burgess Browne, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to state the Chamberlain's accounts to 29 March last.

It., that an application be made to His Excell. the Lo.-Lieut. and P. C. to prohibit the exportation of Flour, Meal, Potatoes, and all other grain from this City, as a scarcity is apprehended.

It., that Mr. Snowe apply to Mr. Wrixon, to have 30 copies of the Act of Parliament lately passed with respect to the City of Corke, printed and sent to Mr. Mayor.

It., that the house lately in possession of John Minton, in the Main Street, be set to cant in the Exchange, on Friday, 5 June, for seven years.

It., that the Chamberlain pay all arrears of quit-rent due for the Fairs, which were to be held on the lands of Currimurohue, granted by patent to Mr. James Hartnett.

It., that Mr. Kent buy 100 barrels of coal.

It., that the Chamberlain pay the Minister and Church Wardens of S. Peters, one year's interest of £1200 due 19 Oct. last, and that he regularly pay same every year.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Millerd, M. Smith, Philpott, J. Smith, Franklin, Maylor, Busteed; Mr. Burgess Browne, Denroch, and Mr. C. S.

19 *June*, 1772.

Ordered, that liberty to sweep the street and gather the dung from North to South Gate be set for one year to highest bidder.

It., that Mr. Kent inspect the Bridewell and have such repairs as he may think necessary done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Puxley; Aldᵉⁿ. Newman, Owgan, Millerd, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, J. Smith, Mr. Browne and Denroch.

16 *July*, 1772.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—J. Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

The Common Speaker took the oath of a Council man as Common Speaker.

Present — Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Fuller, C. S.

21 *July*, 1772.

We do hereby appoint Joseph Fowke, mercht., Henry Martin, *do.*, and John Cuthbert, *do.*, inhabitants of the Parish of Holy Trinity; Henry Wrixon, Esq., W^m^. Butler, burgess, Joseph Harris, mer., and James Lombart, *do.*, of S. Peter's parish; William Coles, mercht., Joseph Harrison, woollen-draper, George Newsome, mer., and Abraham Abel, *do.*, of S. Mary Shandon parish; George Forster, skinner, Abraham Steers, chandler, John Morris, malster, James Johnson, clothier, of S^t^. Ann's parish; George Bruce, Esq., Saml. Lane, Brewer, George Patten, of Bellville, in South Liberties, gent., and Will. Harris, of Glasheen, gent., of S^t^. Finbarry's parish; W^m^. Clarke, jun., mer., W^m^. Fitton, brewer, George Randal, mer., Michel Skeys, chandler, of S. Nicolas parish; Richard Perry, mer., Peter Ardowin, *do.*, Sober Kent, *do.*, and Christian Jacob Danckert, *do.*, of S^t^. Paul's parish, to be valuators for the purposes mentioned in a certain Act of Parliament for the regulation of the City of Cork, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Ald^en^. Newman, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Maylor; Mr. Browne, Swete, and Fuller, C. S.

21 *July*, 1772.

Ordered, that £10 6*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mr. Edmond Browning for newspapers supplied; *It.*, £20 to Mr. Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle.

That the Rt. Rev^d^. Doctor Isaac Mann, Lo. Bishop of Cork and Ross, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Ordered, that £200 be paid Ald. Millerd and Maylor, Mr. Burgess Morrison, Wrixon, and George Piersy, Esq., to be applied by them in erecting fire-plugs in convenient parts of the City and Suburbs, for extinguishing any accidental fires that may happen therein.

It., that the several stalls in the English Shambles be set by public cant, at a weekly rent, to Protestant Butchers only.

It., that the house lately in possession of John Minton, near the Main guard, be set by public cant.

It., two guineas to Mortho Connor, one year summoning the Market Jury and sweeping the Mayor's office.

It., £8 to Robt. Heron, cooper, for 10 new Coal Barrels supplied; *It.*,

£18 11*s.* 11½*d.* to Mrs. Esther Holmes, for clothing supplied the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldᵉⁿ. Newman, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker; Mr. Browne and Fuller, C. S.

28 *July*, 1772.

Ordered, that £12 18*s.* 7½*d.* be paid Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, work supplied the Waterbailiff.

It., £21 1*s.* 6½*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason, work done.

This day the Council examined the accounts of Sober Kent, City Overseer, relative to the pavement of the Main Street and North and South Bridges; thereon it appears that Kent received from the Chamberlain the sum of £193 7*s.* 6*d.*, and expended in said pavement £187 17*s.* to pay ballance to Chamberlain.

Whereas many idle and disorderly persons have frequently of late riotously assembled in the City and Suburbs to the great annoyance of the inhabitants; it is the opinion of this Board that the Mayor, &c., and Justices of the Peace do in their respective parishes, without loss of time, apply to the ministers thereof to call vestries for the establishment of watchmen therein, pursuant to late Act of Parliament, such establishment being absolutely necessary for the peace of the City.

That Arthur Acteson, cooper, having served John Cole, *do.;* William Hingston, gent., eldest son of Revᵈ. James Hingston, Clk.; Richard Newman, cooper, having served William Lane, *do.;* Edward Wrixon, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Whereas Mr. Snowe went to Dublin last Dec., to solicit the Act passed last session, for the regulation of the City of Corke, and as he was taken ill in Dublin and confined there until the later end of May last, whereby his expenses were £95 exceeding the £100 granted by the Council and C. D. H.; ordered, that said sum of £95 be paid him.

"I dissent to Mr. Hingston being referred to the C. D. H., being the eldest son of a Freeman."—Tho. Browne.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldᵉⁿ. Newman, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Wetheral, Franklin, Maylor, Wrixon, Mr. Browne, and C. S.

5 *Aug.*, 1772.

Whereas the Mayor and Justices of the Peace presiding at an Adjournment of the Court of Quarter Sessions for the County of this City, 29 July last, have excused George Bruce, Esq., and Mr. George Randal from serving the office of Valuator; the reason for excusing the former was that he is a Barrister-at-Law, and infirm, the latter because he was an inhabitant of the parish of Carrigaline and not of S. Nicolas. It is therefore ordered, that Peter Joice, mer., of the parish of S. Nicolas and John Lindsay, gent., of the parish of S. Finbarry, be valuators in their stead.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Fuller, C. S.

5 *Aug.*, 1772.

Ordered, that 20 guineas be paid Mr. Sober Kent, City Overseer, for his extraordinary diligence in seeing the Main Street and North and South Bridges paved; *It.*, £36 9*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. Burgess Morrison, for timber supplied from 8 Oct., 1770, to 30 July, 1772.

It., that the slip at the East end of the Back shambles be covered over, and that Mr. Kent oversee the work.

It., That Mr. Kent repair such holes as may happen in the Main Street and North and South Bridges.

That Zacharias Parrett, mer., having served Danˡ. Perdrian, *do.*; Richᵈ. Moore, Esq., eldest son of Henry M., mercht., *dec.*; George Fuller, gent., eldest son of George F., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that the account of Andrew Dalton, carpenter, relative to work done at Blackrock Castle, be referred to the Committee appointed for carrying buildings at Blackrock.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Fuller, C. S.

14 *Aug.*, 1772.

No meeting for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Owgan, Millerd, Busteed, Maylor, J. Smith, and Mr. Denroch.

17 *Aug.*, 1772.

We appoint John Digby, mercht., Paul Benson, *do.*, Michæl Coppinger, *do.*, inhabitants of the parish of Holy Trinity; Arthur Collis, gent., Francis Tidd, *do.*, and William Garrett, chocolate-maker, of the Parish of S. Peters; Martin French, mercht., Mathew Church, grocer, and Edward Creed, chandler, of the Parish of S. Mary Shandon; Wm. Bleasby, chandler, Wm. Harrington, shipwright, and John Davies, tanner, of the Parish of S. Ann's, Henry Moore, Esq., Francis Creed, gent., and Arthur Dillon, Esq., of the Parish of S. Finbarry; Patrick O'Conor, mercht., John King, *do.*; Thomas Roche, *do.*, of the Parish of S. Nicolas; Thomas Browne, mercht., John Peter Mathis, chandler, and George Goold, mercht., of the Parish of S. Paul, to be valuators with those before appointed, for the purposes mentioned in a certain Act of Parliament for the regulation of the City of Corke, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldcn. Millerd, Busteed, J. Smith, Franklin, Maylor, Mr. Browne and Fuller, C. S.

17 *Aug.*, 1772.

That the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Egmont be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

We appoint a public coal yard to be kept on the Red Abbey Marsh belonging to Mr. John Franklin at a yearly rent of £30.

Ordered, that 5 guineas be paid Wm. Verling, Esq., the Dep. Recorder, to buy a gown to be worn in his office; *It.*, that the Gateage tolls, &c., be set (as before); *It.*, that the present Fowl Market be converted into a Flesh Shambles, to be set to Protestant Butchers for one year by public cant; *It.*, that the East part of the Fish Shambles be converted into a Fowl Market; *It.*, that a salary of £60 a year be paid the Waterbailiff (duties as before); *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year in open C. D. H.

That Richard Mayberry, cooper, having served Robt. Eason, Sen. and Jun., be admitted free.

It. 10 guineas to the Coroners for half a year.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldcn. Millerd, Busteed, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

22 *Aug.*, 1772.

We appoint Patrick Comerford, Mercht.; Aylmer Allen, Brewer; Henry Shea, Mercht., inhabitants of the Parish of Holy Trinity; Joseph Devonshire, mercht.; John Day, *do.*; and Patrick Sarsfield, shopkeeper, of the Parish of S. Peter; Patrick Creagh, mercht.; Philip Harding, *do.*; Thomas Riordan, *do.*, of the Parish of S. Mary Shandon; John Exham, mercht.; William Austin, Chandler; Edward Allen, shipwright, of the Parish of S. Ann's; Thomas Williams, of Ashgrove, in South Liberties, gent., inhabitants of the Par. of S. Finbarry's; John Furze, chandler; Garrett Barry, Butter buyer; and Will. Bayly, gent, of the Parish of S. Nicholas; Hugh Lawton, Burgess; Julius Besnard, sail maker; and William Coppinger, of the Parish of S. Paul, to be valuators under the act for purposes relative to this City.

Whereas the Mayor and Justices of the Peace presiding at an adjournment of the Court of Quarter Sessions held on 19 Aug., inst., have certified that they have excused Thomas Browne, one of the inhabitants of the parish of S. Paul; Willm. Bleasby, of the parish of S. Ann's; and George Goold of S. Paul's, from serving as valuators, for that Brown and Bleasby being sworn of the Grand Jury are unfit to execute said office, and George Goold unfit by infirmitie, ordered, that Thomas Rogers Trayer, Blockmaker, Vesian Moses Pick, merch^t., of S^t. Paul's parish, and John Creagh, shopkeeper of the parish of S. Ann's, be valuators in place of the aforesaid.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Ald^en. Westropp, Millerd, M. Smith, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Baker, Wrixon; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

22 *Aug.*, 1772.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent return a list of the lamps, lamp irons, and posts in his possession, and such as are lent.

It., that an advertisement be published in Bagnell's Paper, giving notice that the Mayor, &c., will receive proposals for erecting, lighting, &c., lamps in this City for three years in writing to the Mayor.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., have been served with a subpœna for costs amounting to £36 4*s.* 4½*d.*, lately adjudged against them in H. M. Excheq., in the cause of the lessee of Roche against the Corporation of Corke, brought

for the recovery of part of the Exchange on the title, ordered, that said sum be paid to Mr. Roche's attorney.

It., £2 13*s.* 11*d.* to Mr. Snowe for the 9 vol. of Vesey's Acts of Parliament and the statutes passed in the years 1769 and 1771.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, M. Smith, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Baker, Wrixon; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

28 *Aug.*, 1772.

The Mayor elect being approved of by the Lo.-Lieut. and P. C., was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

That Francis Armistead, Esq., eldest son of John A.; and James Dixon, cooper, having served Andrew Hill, *do.*, be admitted freemen.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Aldᵉⁿ. Parker, Owgan, Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Maylor, Busteed, M. Smith, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Fuller, C. S.

4 *Sep.*, 1772.

Ordered, that a window be made in the Guard House near Shandon Church, and that Mr. Burgess Browne oversee same; *It.*, that the stalls in the back flesh Shambles be set by public cant on the Exchange for one year at a weekly rent, to butchers only, one stall to be canted at a time; *It.*, that the stalls to be made for the sale of flesh on the North side of the present Fowl market be set as well to Popish as Protestant Butchers, notwithstanding the former order; *It.*, £16 12*s.* to Mrs. Esther Holmes for clothes supplied John Ryan, Joab Bowen, George Allen, and Wᵐ. Jones, four boys put apprentice from the Blue Coat Hospital, to be charged on the loan of £920, &c.,; *It.*, 9*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Burgess Browne, expenses attending his marking out, in the parishes of S. Mary and S. Ann Shandon, places for erecting lamps; *It.*, £21 11*s.* 11*d.* to Mr. Kevan Izod for candles from 18 May, 1771, to 26 Aug. last; *It.*, that Mr. Sober Kent be appointed to conduct the erecting the present Fowl market into a Flesh shambles, pursuant to a plan drawn by Andrew Dalton; *It.*, that Mr. Kent get the broken lamps and lamp-irons repaired; *It.*, £38 17*s.* be paid Mr. Phineas Bagnell for printing-work from 19 Sep., 1771, to 24 Aug. last; *It.*, that the house belonging to the Corporation on the S. side of the entrance into the Fowl market, lately tenanted by George Morgan, be set by cant for seven

years; *It.* that £64 1*s.* 1*d.* be paid Andrew Dalton, carpenter, for work done at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, that an advertisement be published in Bagnell's newspaper, that the Mayor, &c., will contract with any person for lighting the Lamps in the parishes, separately or for the whole City, from 1 Oct. to 1 May next, from sunset to sunrise, and for the two following years from 1 Sep. to 1 May, *do.*, to be lighted with single burners.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Ald^en^. Parker, Millerd, Mr. Smith, Maylor, Westropp, Baker, Wrixon, J. Smith, Mr. Browne, and Denroch.

17 *Sep.*, 1772.

Ordered, that the Guard House opposite Shandon Church be rendered, repaired and whitewashed.

It., £4 7*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Nicholas Wrixon for 30 copies of the late act relative to this City.

That Thomas Parker, having served Westcombe Wood; Saml. Dixon clothier, having served Mortogh Mahony, *do.*; John Jappie, Master cooper, in testimony of his extraordinary activity in his office as one of the Parish Constables in bringing to Justice divers outrageous offenders at the imminent hazard of his life, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that the interest in the dwelling-house of Thomas Butler, Esq., opposite the Mayoralty House be purchased for £350, together with such articles belonging to said house as Ald. Millerd, Mr. Burgess Wrixon, and Mr. Snowe shall agree to give the said Butler.

That Charles Fitz Simmons, gent.; William Smith, son of Ald. Mathias S.; Rev^d^. William Jephson, Minister of Christ Church; John Snowe, Esq.; and Francis Wheeler, merch^t^. be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon and Puxley; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Smith, Philpott, Wrixon, J. Smith, Franklin, Maylor; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Fuller, C. S.

22 *Sep.*, 1772.

Ordered, that 4*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Henry Wrixon, Esq.; 13*s.* 8*d.* Mr. John Jones; and 4*s.* 3*d.* Mr. Thomas Fuller, paid by them for measuring the proper places for fixing lamps in the several parishes.

It., that Mr. Kent immediately provide as many lamp irons, burners, oil

pots, oil measures, lanthorns, ladders, and posts as may be necessary, and have the lamps repaired.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wrixon; Alden. Millerd, Smith, Philpott, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Fuller, C. S.

19 *Oct.*, 1772.

John Roe, Esq., Mayor.

That Mathew Freeman, Esq., eldest son of Will. F., *dec.*, be admitted a freeman.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent immediately cause the lamp irons to be erected in the several parishes in the places marked out, and also erect the posts in the main street.

It., that Mr. Kent buy 50 barrels of coal; *It.*, £14 12*s.* 6½*d.* to Richard Lane, keeper of the Bridewell, in full of the account of repairing the same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Alden. Newman, Parker, Westropp, Millerd, J. Smith, Philpott, Wetherall, Webb, Franklin; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

28 *Oct.*, 1772.

This day Mr. Mayor took the oath of Common Council man, likewise the Sheriffs.

Ordered, that Mr. Snowe wait on the Recorder with the draft of the articles between the Mayor, &c., and Mr. Joseph Harris, for erecting, lighting, &c., the lamps for the City and Suburbs for three years, and that Mr. Snowe do give the Recorder a fee of 4 guineas for perusing same.

That John Carleton, gent, Attorney-at-Law, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris and Franklin; Alden. Owgan, Millerd, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, J. Smith, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

28 *Oct.*, 1772.

In pursuance of an act passed 11 and 12 of his present Majys. reign entitled an Act for the regulation of the City of Cork, &c., we, the Mayor, &c., do fix 800 lamps with single burners and good wicks, and we fix 200 lamps in the parish of Holy Trinity, 139 in the parish of S. Peter,

78 in the parish of S. Paul, 223 in the parishes of S. Mary Shandon and S. Ann and the suburbs belonging, 122 in the parishes of S. Finbarry and S. Nicholas and suburbs belonging, 38 in the Main Street, on posts between the North and South gate, that they be lighted on the 8 Nov. at sun setting, and continue lighting to sun rising, to 1 May next, and every succeeding year they be lighted on 1 Sep., and they be lighted with good rape seed oil or good fish oil, or rape and fish oil mixed together, that the glasses of the said lamps be kept cleaned, and trimmed and snuffed when necessary, and we hereby fix that the sum of £1 1*s.* 5*d.* (amounting to £856 13*s.* 4*d.*) shall be paid for maintaining each lamp from 8 Nov. next, to 1 May, and that £1 5*s.* (amounting to £1000) be paid for trimming, &c., same from 1 Sep., 1773 to 1 May, 1774, and whereas the sum of £1016 10*s.* 3*d.* is appointed by the act to be paid to the Mayor, &c., and that the Mayor, &c., shall cause said sum to be added in eight equal yearly successive divisions, to be raised for erecting, &c., said lamps, now we, the Mayor, &c., do appoint the eight part, *viz.*, £127 1*s.* 3½*d.*, to be raised for said purpose.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris and Franklin; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Millerd, Philpott, Wetheral, Franklin, J. Smith, Maylor, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

3 *Nov.*, 1772.

This day the Mayor, &c., executed articles of agreement with Joseph Harris, Mercht. as lamp contractor for erecting, lighting, &c., lamps in the City and Suburbs for three years, from 1 July last, with the security, to wit, Saml. Beale, mercht., and William Harris, *do.*, for a bond payable to the Mayor, &c., for £2000.

It., that £142 3*s.* 9*d.* be paid the Trustees for supplying the City with water, being the Corporation's fifth dividend on 25 shares at 5 guineas each share; *It.*, £10 to the Clerk of S. Mary Shandon, for which he is to instruct the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing for one year, from 1 Nov., inst.; *It.*, £82 9*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Nicholas Wrixon, his bill of costs for law and equity business.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris and Franklin; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Philpott, Newman, Wetherall, Franklin, Maylor, Wrixon, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

24 *Nov.*, 1772.

Ordered, that a Committee be appointed to state the Chamberlain's accounts; *It.*, £25 14*s.* 5*d.* to William Wily, blacksmith, in full for lamp irons and expense of erecting same; *It.*, £2 3*s.* 4½*d.* to Ald. Millerd, so much expended by him in marking out the places in the Parish of S. Peter's where the lamps are erected, and painting 47 lamp-posts; *It.*, £1 3*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. John Jones for erecting 195 lamps in the parish of Christ Church; *It.*, £39 9*s.* 3*d.* to Richard Burt, glazier, for repairing the lamps; *It.*, £26 2*s.* 0½*d.* to Mr. Tho. Fuller, in full for timber for the lamp posts; *It.*, £20 4*s.* 3*d.* to Wm. Rogers, tinman, in full for burners, oilpots, and lanthorns; *It.*, £17 11*s.* 1*d.* to Andrew Dalton, carpenter, in full for making the lamp posts; *It.*, £7 9*s.* 10½*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason, in full for erecting the lamp posts in the Main street; *It.*, £8 5*s.* 1*d.* to Roger Ouldin, in full for Masons' work; *It.*, £15 18*s.* 2½*d.* to Mr. Tho. Fuller for timber for the new Meat Shambles; *It.*, £30 7*s.* 1*d.* to Timothy Hughes, in full for lamp irons; *It*, £8 7*s.* 1*d.* to Andrew Dalton for work done to the New Meat Shambles; *It.*, £2 8*s.* 4½*d.* to Richd. Evans, Exchange Porter, for sand, &c.; *It.*, £1 3*s.* 2*d.* to Mr. Burgess Browne, so much expended by him in erecting lamps in the parishes of S. Mary and S. Ann's Shandon; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for the election of an Alderman in the room of Ald. Math. Smith; *It.*, £2 16*s.* 5*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason, in full for erecting lamp posts in the parishes of S. Finbarry and S. Nicholas.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris; Alden. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Franklin, Smith, Maylor, Webb, Philpott, Swete, Parker, Wetherall; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

6 *Jan.*, 1773.

Mr. Kevan Izod, one of the Burgesses, being in open C. D. H., was elected one of the Common Council on the death of Ald. Parker, was this day sworn.

That His Excell. the Lo. Lieut. be presented with his freedom in a Gold box, and that Rt. Hon. Hely Hutchinson one of our representatives present it.

The Rt. Hon. John Blaquaire, Principal Sec. to Lo. Lieut., in a Silver box to be presented by Hon. H. Hutchinson; and the Right Revd. Charles, Lord Bishop of Cloyne, in a Silver box; also John Woulfe, mercht., having

served Wm. Willcocks, *do.;* Peter Deane, gent., having served Thos. Farren, gent., *dec.*, to be freemen at large.

This day Ald. Millerd, Baker, Mr. Burgess Morrison, Hen. Wrixon, Mr. Lucas, Ald. Franklin, and Mr. Burgess Puxley report that they adjusted the Chamberlain's accounts from 29 March, 1771, to 29 March, 1772, and that a balance of £370 6*s.* 4¾*d.* was due to the Corporation, they also adjusted his accounts from 29 March, 1772, to 29 Sep., 1772, and find a balance of £678 17*s.* 3¾*d.* due to the Corporation.

Ordered, that a pension of £20 a year be paid the widow of Ald. Parker, *dec.; It.*, that John Dowman, jun., brewer, be appointed a scavenger for sweeping and keeping clean Watergate Lane and Hanover Street; *It.*, that Henry Rugge, gent., one of the freemen at large, be appointed Constable and keeper of Blackrock Castle.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Alden. Newman, Philpott, Bury, J. Smith, Maylor, Franklin, Wrixon; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Fuller, C. S.

19 *Feb.*, 1773.

In pursuance of an act passed for the regulation of this City, &c., we, the Mayor, &c., do fix that the sum of 5*s.* 1*d.* (amounting to £203 6*s.* 8*d.*) be paid for erecting and repairing each lamp in this City and Suburbs, the whole number of lamps being 800.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Smith, Maylor, Webb; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Fuller, C. S.

19 *Feb.*, 1773.

Ordered, that 20 guineas be paid any person who within three months shall convict the persons who desperately wounded a soldier of H. M. 34 Reg. of Foot on Wednesday last.

Present—John Roe, Mayor; Richd. Harris and John Franklin, Sheriffs; Randall Westropp, Hugh Millerd, Usher Philpott, Phin. Bury, Andrew Franklin, John Webb, Tho. Browne, Thom. Fuller, Com. Spr.

24 *Feb.*, 1773.

That Isaac Jones, cooper, having served John Baker, *do;* Wm. Hare, mercht., having served Richd. Hare, *do.;* John Hughes, mercht., having served Thos. Burnett, *do.;* Michael Busteed, having served his father, Ald.

Busteed, eleven months, and Messrs. Rob. Lane, Paul and James Benson the remaining time; Zebulon Upington, merch^t., having served Francis Hodder, merch^t.; Francis Rich^d. Rowe, merch^t., at the request of Mr. Mayor, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £45 12*s.* be paid Rich^d. Coldwell, cabinet-maker, in full for 48 mahogany chairs for the Mayoralty house.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Ald^en. Millerd, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Baker; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Fuller, C. S.

27 *Feb.*, 1773.

Ordered, that £1500 be borrowed by the Mayor, &c., from Hans Stewart, Esq., and that the Mayor, &c., execute a Corporation bond to said Stewart for £400 payable with the lawful interest in 12 months, also a second bond for £500 payable with like interest in 18 months, also a third for £600 with like interest in two years, and that 6 months' notice be given for calling in the money secured on any of said bonds.

It., that the Mayor, &c., (upon Mr. Denroch's delivering up the Corporation Bond passed to him for £1000 with interest at 5 *per cent.*) execute a new bond for £1000 payable with lawful interest in 12 months, six months' previous notice to be given for calling in the money secured on said Bond.

It., that £31 19*s.* 7*d.* be paid Ald. Westropp, as master of the Blue Coat Hospital, balance of his accounts to 12 Jan., 1773, to be accounted for on the loan.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris and Franklin; Ald^en. Westropp, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Smith, Baker, Webb, Franklin, and Mr. Izod.

5 *March*, 1773.

Whereas by the late act the several Markets in this City and the Mayoralty House are liable to taxes, according to their valuation, for Lamp money and other taxes, ordered, that the Chamberlain do pay the same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris; Ald^en. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Maylor, Baker, Franklin, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

10 *March*, 1773.

Ordered, that Ald. Millerd, Bury, Mr. Izod, Strettell, and Digby be a

committee to consider the ways of raising local taxes for building an Exchange, opening passages, &c., and that 5 guineas be paid said gentlemen to expend in enquiring into the method of raising such taxes.

That the following repairs be made at Blackrock by Mr. Kent, glass of the windows repaired; window-sashes, shutters, and doors painted; house whitewashed, new kitchen chimney and oven cured from smoking, floor of old kitchen repaired, small grate fixed in the room over the kitchen, and one in the old kitchen, and that two dozen of oak chairs be bought for the large room.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris and Franklin; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Fuller, C. S.

14 *April*, 1773.

Ordered, that Ald. Franklin, Webb, Sher. Franklin, Mr. Paul Benson, Richᵈ. Hare, John Cuthbert and Henry Wrixon, be added to the gentlemen appointed to consider the means of raising the local taxes, and report. *It.*, that Hovell Farmer, Esq., be appointed scavenger, to cause the streets from North to South gate to be swept, that he shall have the benefit of the dung paying the Corporation £10 *per annum;* that he shall cause the street to be swept one day and carry the sweepings away the next, or any person to be at liberty to take away same. *It.*, that the Mayor, &c., do upon the Revᵈ. Thos. Browne's delivering up the Corporation bond passed to him for £200 at 5 *per cent.* execute a new bond for same, payable with lawful interest in 12 months from date hereof. *It.*, that £52 4*s.* 9½*d.* be paid to Timothy Hughes, in full, for his account from 30 July, 1770, to 16 Feb., 1773. *It.*, that a map of the Slab ground belonging to the Corporation at the South side of the Navigation Wall be taken from the beginning of said wall on the West and to extend 83 feet below the end of said wall on the East, and to extend on the South to the South Channel, and from thence to low water mark, and that Ald. Franklin and Sher. Franklin do employ a proper Surveyor for taking said map.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Franklin, Webb; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Fuller, C. S.

28 *April*, 1773.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris; Ald^en. Millerd, Bury, Maylor, Webb, and Mr. Fuller, C. S.

30 *April*, 1773.

Ordered, that £55 11*s.* 8*d.* be paid W^m. Reynolds, goldsmith, for silversmith's work done from 4 May, 1771, to 6 March last; *It.*, £45 19*s.* 11½*d.* to Rich^d. Gwinn, slater, work done from 13 Jan., 1772, to 10 April inst.; *It.*, £15 3*s.* 4*d.* to John Busteed, printer; *It.*, £14 6*s.* 5½*d.* to Sampson Austen, Woolen draper, for cloathing supplied the Bellmen and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £29 5*s.* 10½*d.* to Richard Burt, glazier, for work done from 19 Dec., 1771, to 11 Feb. last; *It.*, £11 3*s.* 8*d.* to said Burt for glazing and plumbing work done at S. Stephen's Hospital, from 10 May, 1771, to 25 March last, to be accounted for on the loan; *It.*, £27 15*s.* 1*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason, his account in full, for mason and pavior's work done for the Corporation from 16 May, 1772, to 29 Oct. last; *It.*, £170 12*s.* 6*d.* to the Trustees of the Water scheme, being the Corporation's sixth dividend on 25 shares at 6 guineas each share; *It.*, that Mr. Sober Kent buy 150 Barrels of coal; *It.*, £29 2*s.* 8*d.* to W^m. Snowe, Esq., in full, for his Bill of Costs from June, 1770, to 11 March last; *It.*, £8 6*s.* 11*d.* to Francis Carleton, Esq., so much paid for suing one Miles Cogan, who was indebted to the Corporation by bond passed said Carleton in trust; *It.*, that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Millerd and Hen. Wrixon, Esq., be overseers for building a quay from the angle in the old quay opposite the North-west quoin of Mr. Thos. Butler's dwelling-house on Haman's Marsh, to the north side of the ope in the parapet wall opposite Dr. Roger's dwelling-house on Pike's Marsh, and for filling the dock inside the same to the West end of the arch lately built by the public over part of said dock, and for building a sewer through same, pursuant to the estimate of Edmond Flaherty, mason, and that £20 19*s.* 2*d.* be paid for said work.

It., that £69 8*s.* 2*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, Ald. Millerd, and Henry Wrixon, Esq., for building a frontispiece of the Doric order to the Mayoralty House, pursuant to a plan and estimate before the Council.

Whereas the Butchers have declined occupying the new Flesh Shambles, formerly the Fowl Market, and the fowl market is found inconvenient, ordered, that the fowl and worsted markets shall for the future be kept in said flesh shambles.

That John Good, having served Thos. Fuller, mercht., and Danl. Gibbs, Esq., eldest son of Danl. G., Esq., *dec.*, be admitted freemen.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris; Aldcn. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wrixon, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

26 *May*, 1773.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Denroch, Ald. Smith, and Mr. Fuller, C. S.

29 *May*, 1773.

Ordered, that £64 8*s.* 1½*d.* be paid Andrew Dalton, carpenter, for work done from 2 Oct., 1770, to 13 March last; *It.*, £11 5*s.* 4*d.* to the Sheriffs, being costs they were put to in H. M. Court of K. B., on an application made against them for not removing one Mary Murphy to Dublin, from the City Gaol of Cork, on a writ of *Habeas Corpus*, in which gaol she was confined under a Tholsell action, and on which application the Court acquitted the Sheriffs; *It.*, 5 guineas to John Musterd, late soldier in H. M. 34 Reg. of foot, who was barbarously cut by some Ruffians on Haman's Marsh, and being disabled was discharged; *It.*, that £500 be borrowed at interest by the Mayor; *It.*, that the Corporation bond passed to Mr. Danl. Perdrian, for £200, payable with interest at 5 *per cent.*, be taken up and a new bond passed, &c.

That Thomas Pigott, Esq., only son of George P., Esq., *dec.*, be admitted free.

Whereas John Ewer, one of the Mayor's Sergeants at Mace, is grown very old and not capable to execute said office, and as he had faithfully served the Corporation for upwards of 30 years in the offices of Sheriff's Bayliff and Sergeant at Mace, ordered, that a pension of £16 a year be paid said Ewer; *It.*, one guinea to the Trustees of the Water scheme for one year's water supplied the Mayoralty House.

That John Carleton, of Darling Hill, Esq., eldest son of John C. of *do.*, Esq., *dec.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin; Aldcn. Westropp, Philpott, Swete, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker; Mr. Browne, and Fuller, C. S.

11 *June*, 1773.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Lane, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Franklin and Harris ; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall and Mr. Fuller, C. S.

15 *June*, 1773.

Ordered, that £20 be paid for an Entertainment at Blackrock Castle, 1 Aug. next,

It., That Ald. Franklin, Sher. Franklin and Mr. Burgess Browne be a committee to state the accounts of Bretridges and Skiddy's Alms Houses ; *It.*, 2 guineas to Murtho Connor, for summoning constables and attending the Mayor's Office ; *It.*, One guinea a quarter to William Dibbin, an ancient freeman, who is blind and very distressed ; *It.*, that Henry Wrixon, Esq., do get King William's statue in the dining-room of the Mayoralty House painted white ; *It.*, £8 19*s.* 11*d.* to Sampson Austen, Woollen-draper, for clothes for the New Exchange Porter ; *It.*, £6 12*s.* to Richᵈ. Colwell, cabinet-maker, for 24 oak chairs supplied for the use of Blackrock Castle.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris and Franklin ; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb ; Mr. Denroch and Mr. C. S.

10 *Aug.*, 1773.

This day Mr. John Lapp, as Common Speaker, was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that £10 6*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mr. Edmund Browning for newspapers by him supplied ; *It.*, £2 10*s.* to Mr. Mayor, so much paid by him to Richᵈ. Navin, one of the constables, for a rate charged on the Mayoralty House.

This day Wᵐ. Busteed, Esq., produced the accounts of his Waterbailiffship, from 29 Sep., 1771, to 29 Sep., 1772, whereby it appears he paid into the hands of the Chamberlain £104 4*s.* 1*d.* over and above all other expenses.

That John Cotter, mercht., having served Thos. Browne, *do.*, and John Harris, mercht., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that no Dep. Waterbailiff be appointed without the approbation of this Board, from 29 Sep. next.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wrixon, Smith, Maylor, Webb; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, and Lapp, C. S.

20 *Sep.*, 1773.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other Tolls be set by public cant, 28 inst.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris and Franklin; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Busteed, Philpott, Wrixon, Webb; Mr. Browne and Izod.

21 *Sep.*, 1773.

Ordered, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Water Bailiff for this City for one year, the election to be held in open C. D. H., on 29 Sep. inst.

It., That a Salary of £60 be paid the Waterbailiff for one year, (duty as before).

It., £25 6*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Kevan Izod, for candles from 14 Sep., 1772, to 12 Aug., 1773.

It., £7 10*s.* 7*d.* to the representatives of Norton Parr, for weights and scales for the Market Jury.

It., That £1 12*s.* be paid Mr. Mayor, so much paid by him for Hearth money for the Mayoralty house.

It., 4*s.* 6*d.* to Ald. Philpott, paid by him for fitting up lamps outside North Gate; *It.* 5*s.* 9*d.* to James Barrett, for painting lamp-posts.

Whereas Bayly Rogers, Esq., planted four elm trees opposite the South-west corner of his house, and as by the enlargement of the West Quay by the Corporation, opposite to the place where said trees are planted, the removal of the said trees near to the wall of said quay is thought necessary for enlarging and opening the passage to the Mayoralty House, to which said Bayly Rogers hath consented, ordered, that said Rogers shall have liberty to remove the said four elm trees near said wall, and that the property in said trees shall be in said Bayly Rogers and his heirs, and they shall have liberty from time to time to plant four trees in the form of said trees near said wall.

It., That Mr. Mayor, Mr. C. S., Mr. Hen. Wrixon, and Mr. Denroch, are appointed a committee to inspect the Mayoralty-house, and supply same with such necessary furniture as is wanting.

Whereas the Corporation executed their bond to Thomas Butler, Esq., on 28 June last, for £350, and said Butler hath assigned said bond to Simon Dring, Esq., ordered, that on said Dring's delivering up said bond a new one for said sum be passed by the Mayor, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harris; Alden. Millerd, Maylor, Webb; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, and Lapp, C. S.

9 *Oct.*, 1773.

Francis Rowland, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs took the oath of Common Council men, during office.

This board approves of Richd. Harris to be Dep. Water Bailiff of Corke, Charles Cottrell *do.* at Passage, and James Gillaspie, *do.* at Cove.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor provide an oval table of red deal, that will hold 24 chairs and two proper inkstands for the Council Chamber; *It.*, 5 guineas to Councillor Jenkins, Dep. Recorder, to buy a gown to be worn by him in his office; *It.*, that a seventh dividend of six guineas be paid Mr. Burgess Izod on the Corporation's 25 shares in the Water Scheme; *It.*, that one guinea be paid Sergeant Weaver and his guard at the North Shambles, who arrested one Naughton, a rioter, who with a drawn sword was going through the public street at midnight to the terror of his Maj. subjects; *It.*, that Mr. Burgess Lucas be appointed scavenger for keeping George's Street clean; *It.*, that Ald. Maylor be appointed scavenger for sweeping and keeping clean the long Quay and Fish Street.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Wetherall, Smith, Maylor, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Denroch.

19 *Oct.*, 1773.

Ordered, that £14 11*s.* 6*d.* be paid Andrew Dalton, Carpenter, work done at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £7 11*s.* 3*d.* to said Dalton, work done at the Bridewell; *It.*, £11 8*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. Tho. Fuller, mercht., for timber for Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £6 12*s.* to Robt. Heron, cooper, for six new coal barrels and mending old ones; *It.*, £14 6*s.* 1*d.* to T. Fuller for timber for the Bridewell.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Alden. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Izod.

5 *Nov.*, 1773.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry, Ald. Newman, Millerd, and Mr. Browne be a committee to consider what clauses of the late act passed for this City should be repealed and what solicited from Parliament, that a memorial should be prepared.

That Mr. Richard Maguire, apothecary; and Lewellen Nash, Esq., at the request of Mr. Mayor, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that a waterpipe be fixed in the North Gaol and another in the Bridewell.

It., that £100 3*s.* 10*d.* be paid Peter Cossart and Jasper Lucas, Esq., late Sheriffs of this City, expenses they were put to by the escape of Solomon Isaac, a debtor, who escaped from their custody.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Ald^en^. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Izod.

19 *Nov.*, 1773.

Ordered, that £24 6*s.* 3*d.* be paid John Mainaduc, Woollen draper, clothes supplied the Boys apprenticed from the Blue Coat Hospital from 11 Sep., 1772, to 13 July last; *It.*, £21 15*s.* 6*d.* to John Owen, upholsterer, for window-curtains supplied the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £2 18*s.* 6*d.* to Edward Higgins for paper supplied the Mayoralty House.

That John Perkins, of the City of London, merch^t.^, and James Abell, merch^t.^, having served his father, Joseph Abell, *do.*, be admitted free.

It., that the memorial of the Mayor, &c., relative to the land carriage of flour to Dublin, be sent to the Prime Sergeant, to be laid before the house of Commons; *It.*, £8 8*s.* 8½*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron work supplied; *It.*, that the amendment of the late Cork Act, now read, be sent to Mr. Wrixon to Dublin, to be laid before the Recorder and Prime Sergeant, to have same properly digested and then laid before the House of Commons.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Izod.

26 *Nov.*, 1773.

Ordered, that 24*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Burgess Browne for an Ink-stand for this board.

Resolved, that a second Bridge over the North branch of the river Lee is necessary, and will be of public service to this City.

It., that the proper place for said Bridge will be from Baldwin's corner to Exham's cellars.

It., that the merchants of this City do return ten gentlemen, five to be approved by this Board, to join in carrying into Execution the scheme for building the Bridge.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Alden. Newman, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Izod.

3 *Dec.*, 1773.

The Merchants of Cork, in pursuance to the order of last Council, having returned ten names, five to be approved by this Board, to join in the scheme for building the Bridge over the North Channel of the Lee, do approve of the following five gentlemen, to wit, Mr. Greatrakes Smyth, Mr. Paul Benson, Mr. Thomas Trant, Mr. William Jameson, and Mr. Humphry Crowly.

Resolved, that for building said Bridge application be made to Parliament for local taxes, part of which shall go to the support of the Work House and part for opening ways and passages and erecting Public Buildings.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Alden. Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Smith, Maylor, Baker, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Izod.

8 *Dec.*, 1773.

Ordered, that Mr. Snowe do prepare a memorial to the House of Commons praying an act for local duties for 21 years to be applied as follows: one third for the use of the Workhouse, one third for building a Bridge across the North channel of the river Lee, one third for opening ways and passages and erecting public Buildings, and after the Bridge be completed, said third to be for the use of the Workhouse to be paid the Governors, the part for building the Bridge to be paid to Saml. Maylor, John Webb, Kingsmill Berry, Esq., Stephen Denroch, Kevan Izod, Greatrakes Smyth, Paul Benson, Willm. Jameson, Humphry Crowly, and Thomas Trant, merchts., the part for erecting public buildings, &c., to be paid to the Mayor, Sheriffs, &c., with the third part for building the Bridge after the completion thereof.

"I dissent to the order of Council for applying to Parliament for building the Bridge, I am of opinion it would be of infinite disadvantage to a considerable part of the trade of this City, and would render almost useless above threefourths of the quays, where colliers and other vessels generally lie, would materially injure in their trade and properties all the inhabitants of Mallow and Blarney lanes, the Main street from the North to the South Gate, and all the Western parts of the City."

"I also dissent to the applying for local taxes on wine, brandy, Geneva, oranges, lemmons, herrings, salt, balk, deal boards, wheel carriages, &c., as the inhabitants too justly complain of the heavy taxes they already labour under, as the late mode is peculiarly heavy on the middling and lower sort of people, and I am of opinion the Council ought not to apply without the approbation of the Body Corporate, and without such the seal of the City ought not to be affixed to their instrument of application.—Tho. Browne."

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Franklin, Smith, Maylor, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, Denroch and Izod.

17 *Dec.*, 1773.

That Richard Fitton, mercht., having served Stephen Denroch; Richard Purcell, Hardware Mercht.; Revd. Henry Hewett, M.A., J.P.; John Uvedale, gent., son of Ralph U., *do.;* George Barber, cabinet-maker, having served Thomas Cochran, *do.;* and Will. Jenkins, Esq., Deputy Recorder of this City, be admitted freemen.

Ordered, that the letter now read be sent by Mr. Mayor to the Prime Sergeant, in answer to his letter concerning the petition about the bounty on Flour; *It.*, £10 to Richd. Coldwell, cabinet-maker, for two mahogany Side Board Tables for the Mayoralty House; *It*, that eight merchants be added to the commissioners for opening ways and passages in this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Alden. Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Baker, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

19 *Jan.*, 1774.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor issue a proclamation offering £5 to such person as within six months shall convict any person who shall cut any bag or bags

of flour, injure or stop any pigs, or goods, or provisions coming into or going out of town.

That Thomas Lane, clothier, having served William Parks, Esq., *do.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

It., £11 17*s.* 2½*d.* to Mr. James Morrison for timber; *It.*, £12 3*s.* 9*d.* to the lamp-contractor; *It.*, £32 16*s.* 2*d.* to Roger Oulden, mason, for work done; *It.*, £6 13*s.* 3*d.* to John Busteed, printer.

Whereas it appears to this Board that the Committee of Merchants and a majority of the Inhabitants of this City are now of opinion that local taxes would be burdensome and injurious, ordered, that Mr. Snowe do not proceed in preparing a memorial for that purpose, as directed by a former order, and it is also the opinion of this Board that building a Bridge over the North Channel by any other mode of taxation or toll than by local duties, or in any other situation than from Baldwin's corner to Exham's cellars will be injurious.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Philpott, Bury, and Franklin.

4 *Feb.*, 1774.

Ordered, that £250 be paid the Governors of the Work House, in part discharge of £500 due from the Corporation.

It., £200 to Mr. Mayor in addition to his salary voted by the C. D. H.

That Henry Granger, clothier, having served Joseph Heard, *do.*, be admitted free.

It., that the Mayor, &c., have power to draw on the Chamberlain for 20 guineas, as reward for apprehending offenders against the peace of the City.

It., 3 guineas to Mr. Burgess Browne for erecting two pillars to support the Mayor's Gallery in the church of S. Mary Shandon.

That Peter Warner, glazier, having served Thomas Dyer, *do.*, *dec.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Maylor, Swete, Wrixon, Smith, Baker; Mr. Browne and Izod.

(*Foot Note*)—"The three leaves next preceding this were by accident torn out of this Book."—W. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

(*The subsequent two leaves are mended, none of the Proceedings are lost.*—Editor).

10 *Feb.*, 1774.

Ordered, that the following wages be paid the Coal Porters for carrying coals in this City and liberties:

Carriage of each Barrel of Coals 100 yards or under 1*d.*; *do.*, each Barrel for 100 to 200 yards 1½*d.*; *do.*, each Barrel of coals for above 200 to 300 yards 2*d.*; *do.*, each Barrel of coals for above 300 to 400 yards 3*d.*; *do.*, each Barrel, *do.*, for above 400 to 600 yards 4*d.*; *do.*, each Barrel, *do.*, for above 600 to 800 yards 6*d.*; *do.*, each Barrel, *do.*, for above 800 to 1100 yards 8*d.* For landing each Barrel on the Quay to be measured ½*d.* For bringing each Barrel out of the ship and putting same into a carriage at ship side 1*d.* *It.*, that ½*d.* be paid to each measurer for measuring a Barrel of coals. *It.*, if any coal porter shall take any higher wages he shall forfeit for each offence 5*s.*, to be recovered in a summary way before the Mayor or any of the Aldermen of the Ward, the penalty to go to the informer.

It., 10 guineas to be paid annually to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, gent., the Mayor's clerk, in addition to the salary paid him by the Mayor; *It.*, £10 to the Clerk of S. Mary Shandon, for instructing the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing for one year; *It.*, £50 to Sober Kent, City overseer, one year's salary to attend the Corporation business as usual, the removal of all nuisances and encroachments, and prosecute all such as cause same in the City and suburbs, and taking an oath to that effect.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Maylor, Wrixon, Smith; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Lapp, C. S.

4 *March*, 1774.

Ordered, that 150 Barrels of coal be bought; *It.*, £53 17*s.* 5½*d.* to Rich^d^. Burt, glazier, for work done.

It., £15 3*s.* 6*d.* to Sampson Austen, for woollen goods supplied; *It.*, £22 3*s.* 9*d.* to said Austen, for woollen goods supplied for the use of the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital.

That John Barcroft Haughton, mercht., having served Eben. and Saml. Pike; Joseph Harris, Dry salter and mercht., having served Messrs. Saml. and George Beale, *do*; Willm. Phillips, gent., son of Noblet P., Esq., Ald.;

John Peter Parrett, mercht., having served Peter Cossart, *do.*, be admitted free.

It., That Mr. Sober Kent be appointed one of the Scavengers of the City, with full power to remove all dirt and other filth out of the streets, lanes, Quays, &c., of this City, for which scavengers have not been appointed, as well as all streets, &c., for which they have been appointed, in case they neglect to cart away the same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Alden. Bury, Westropp, Philpott, Maylor, Baker, Wrixon; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Mr. C. S.

19 *April*, 1774.

Ordered, that £20 be paid Mr. James Barrett, for six window curtains for the Mayoralty House.

It., £3 10*s.* 11*d.* to Mr. Mayor, for Bullinbroke's Abridgement, Vesey's Appendix, and Blackston's Commentaries, for the Mayor's Office; *It.*, 100 guineas to the trustees for supplying this City with water, being the Corporation's eight dividend on 25 shares at four guineas each; *It.*, 150 guineas to *do.* for *do.* for ninth dividend on 25 shares at 6 guineas each.

It., that £15 a year be paid the widow of Mr. Daniel Connor, *dec.*, one of the Burgesses and Common Council men; *It.*, that Mr. Snowe prepare a memorial to His Excell. the Lo.-Lieut. praying that the powder be removed from Skiddy's Castle, as the same is a most dangerous place for keeping powder, and that the government will build a magazine for keeping powder in some convenient place in the suburbs or liberties of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Maylor, Roe, Wrixon, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Izod.

17 *May*, 1774.

Ordered, that the rails taken down from the house purchased from Tho. Butler, Esq., be sold, and the money paid to the Chamberlain; *It.*, that £5 be paid the widow of George Fuller, *dec.*, one of the burgesses, being very indigent; *It.*, that a pension of £15 a year be paid said Widow Fuller; *It.*, that the Bond of the Corporation to the Treasurer of this City, and County Annuity Society, for £300, with interest at 5 *per cent.*, be taken

up, and a new bond be passed by the Mayor, &c., to said Treasurer, for £300 with interest at 6 *per cent.*

That Gibbs Ross, one of the Constables of the parish of S. Paul, for his spirited conduct in apprehending several notorious offenders at the hazard of his life, and his readiness to support the peace of the City, be admitted free.

It., That £57 0*s.* 2*d.* be paid Mr. Phineas Bagnell for printing-work; *It.*, 5 guineas a year to the Trustees for supplying this City with water, and for supplying the City gaol from 1 June next; *It.*, 2 guineas a year to same trustees, for supplying the Bridewell with water from 1 June next.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Maylor, Franklin, Baker, Millerd, Izod, and Mr. Lapp, C. S.

10 *June*, 1774.

Ordered, that £12 17*s.* 3½*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron-work for Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £8 18*s.* 5½*d.* to Robt. Heron, cooper, for new coal Barrels, and repairing old ones; *It.*, 2 guineas to Mortho Connor, for one year's attendance at the Mayor's office, and summoning the constables.

That Alexander Martin, gent., only son of Will. M., tanner. *dec.*; Richard Barrett, brewer, having served John Dowman, *do.*, be admitted free.

It., £1 10*s.* to John Howell, sadler, for 15 collars for Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £20 to Mr. Mayor, for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, that the West Wall of the Cattle Market be raised three feet higher, and that the upper piece of ground lately demised to the Corporation by Abraham and Jonas Morris, Esq., which adjoins said market, be inclosed with a stone wall of the height of seven feet and a half, and that Ald. Millerd and Mr. Abraham Lane be overseers.

It., that an entertainment be prepared for the Lo.-Lieut., who is soon expected in this City, and that same be given at the Mayoralty House, and that Mr. Mayor, the Sheriffs, Ald. Millerd, and Mr. Snowe, be managers to prepare same.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Sher. Berry and Carleton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Roe; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Mr. Lapp, C. S.

15 *June*, 1774.

Ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for a C. D. H. to be

held on 23 inst., for the election of a Waterbailiff in the room of Wm. Busteed, *dec.*

The deed between the Mayor, &c., and Nicholas Fitton, founder, for making a second reservoir for supplying this City with water, &c., being laid before the board, was approved of.

It., That the Corporation bond to the Minister and Church Wardens of S. Mary Shandon, dated 26 May, 1766, for £300 payable at 5 *per cent.*, be taken up, and a bond for like sum passed to said Minister, &c. at 6 *per cent.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Aldn. Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod and Lapp, C. S.

2 *July*, 1774.

Mr. John Thomson, C. S., was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that Richard Harris be appointed one of the Dep. Waterbailiffs of the City and Co. of Corke; *It.*, that Charles Cottrell and David Davis be appointed Dep. Waterbailiffs; *It.*, £16 15*s.* 2½*d.* to Sober Kent, in full, for his account; *It.*, £1 12*s.* 6½*d.* to Francis Elmsly, 'Change Porter; *It.*, £40 to Mr. David Bruce, one of the Burgesses of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Aldn. Millerd, Wrixon, Franklin, Maylor, Baker, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, and Thompson, C. S.

19 *July*, 1774.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent, City Overseer, buy 150 barrels of coal; *It.*, that no boy be admitted hereafter into S. Stephen's Hospital, who shall be above the age of nine years; *It.*, 10 guineas to Mr. John Wood, in full, for rent and repairs of the Guard House at Blackpool.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Aldn. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Franklin, Baker, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, and Thompson, C. S.

17 *Aug.*, 1774.

No business for want of a sufficient number. In the absence of the Clk. of the Council, Fras. Carleton, jun.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Aldn. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Baker, and Burgess Browne.

23 *Aug.*, 1774.

Ordered, that the Corporation bond to George Rogers, dated 19 Nov., 1719, for £150, and assigned by Rogers to John Pick, and by Pick to the Minister and C. W. of S. Mary Shandon, Cork.

Ordered, that the bond dated 16 April, 1725, for £25, be cancelled, and a bond passed to said Minister, &c., for £175, the amount of said two bonds, and that the Chamberlain pay said Minister and C. W. the interest of said two bonds to the day of the execution of the new bond; *It.*, £1 5*s.* to Mr. Wm. Coles, for a tun of Plaister of Paris; *It.*, £10 19*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Edmd. Browning, for News Papers; *It.*, a pension of £20 a year to the widow of Ald. Busteed; *It.*, that the Gateage Tolls, &c., be set; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year; *It.*, that a salary of £60 a year be paid the Waterbailiff (duties as usual; *It.*, £35 5*s.* 5*d.* to Ald. Westropp, Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, balance of his accounts to 25 Feb. last, to be accounted for on the loan, &c.; *It.*, £8 6*s.* 5*d.* to John Busteed, printer, for work done; *It.*, that four bonds passed by the Corporation to the Minister and C. W. of the parish of S. Peter's, Cork, amounting in the whole to £630 at 5 *per cent.* a year be taken up, and a bond for said sum be passed said minister, &c., with legal interest, &c., the Chamberlain to pay the interest on said four bonds to day of execution of the new bond.

That the Hon. George Hamilton, Esq., H. M. third Sergeant at Law, and one of the Judges for Munster Circuit, be admitted free.

It., £11 1*s.* 8*d.* to Timothy Hughes, Iron-monger, for repairing Coal Barrels; *It.*, £35 17*s.* 6*d.* to Andrew Dalton, carpenter, his account; *It.*, That Andrew Dalton be no longer employed, as he is grown so infirm as not to be able to attend the Corporation work.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Maylor, Baker; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Thompson, C. S.

14 *Sep.*, 1774.

No business for want of a sufficient number. In the absence of the Clk. of the Council, Frans. Carleton, jun.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Carleton; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Roe; Mr. Recorder and Mr. Burgess Izod.

20 *Sep.*, 1774.

Ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for the election of a Chamberlain, on 27 inst.

It., a salary of £80 to the person elected Chamberlain, from 29 Sep., giving himself and two securities in £4000; that he prepare a book to enter his daily receipts and payments; that on every Council day he furnish the C. S. with said book, to enable them to judge of the state of the Corporation Revenues. *It.*, that a large cellar on Haman's Marsh, belonging to Mr. Snowe, be taken at £12 rent, for the use of the Sergeants of Mace to keep goods taken under the attachment of the Tholsel Court.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Carleton; Ald^en^. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, Thompson, C. S., also the Recorder, Ald. Wetherall, and Baker.

24 *Sep.*, 1774.

That Richard Hely Hutchinson, Esq., eldest son of Rt. Hon. J. H. Hutchinson, one of our Reps., be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; and James Spratt, gent., be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Carleton; Ald^en^. Westropp, Philpott, Baker, Wetherall, Webb, Franklin, Wrixon; Mr. Denroch, Izod, and Thompson, C. S.

29 *Sep.*, 1774.

No business for want of a sufficient number. In the absence of the Clk. of the Council, Fra. Carleton, jun.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Burgess Denroch and Browne; Ald. Westropp and Webb.

1 *Oct.*, 1774.

That Hugh Uvedale, clothier, having served Abraham Lane, *do.*; Richard Williams, Butcher, eldest son of W. *do.*, *dec.*; W^m^. Dwyer, cooper, having served Silvester Clarke, *do.*; Henry Bennett, gent, eldest son of Richard B., cooper, *dec.*; George Newenham, jun., clothier, having served George Newenham, sen., *do.*; James Roche, barber, eldest son of Gerrard R., clothier, *dec.*; and John Jones be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £26 8*s.* 4*d.* be paid Sampson Austen, Woollen draper, clothing supplied the boys of the Blue Coat Hospital, from 17 March, 1774,

to 13 Sep. last; *It.*, £32 to James Gregg, gent., exer. of Mrs. Greaves, *dec.*, for one year's rent of the late holdings of John Reily, Esq., opposite the Mayoralty House, and which were purchased by the Corporation from Thos. Butler, Esq.; *It.*, £24 2*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Burgess Izod, for candles supplied from 22 Oct., 1773, to 17 Aug. last; *It.* £19 5*s.* 8*d.* to Richd. Harris and John Franklin, Esq., late sheriffs, amount of costs they were put to in the Court of King's Bench, for an attachment by one Piersy Larn, for the return of a Grand Jury, on which they were honourably acquitted; *It.*, 10 guineas to John Jappie, high constable of this city, for apprehending divers felons, which has tended to preserve the public peace; *It.*, 10 guineas to Gibbs Ross, one of the constables of this City, for apprehending divers felons, &c.; *It.*, 5 guineas to Margery Lane, daughter of Walter Lane, many years Sword Bearer of this City, she being past her labour and in extreme poverty.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Berry and Carleton; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Wetherall, Franklin, Roe, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, Denroche, Izod, and Thompson, C. S.

17 *Oct.*, 1774.

John Travers, Esq., Mayor.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bennett; Alden. Westropp, Philpott, Collis, and Mr. Browne.

It., 21 Oct., 1774. Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fuller and Bennett; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, Collis, Webb, Mr. Browne.

It., 14 Dec., 1774. Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fuller; Alden. Westropp, Bury, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne and Thompson, C. S.

16 *Dec.*, 1774.

This day Mr. Mayor was sworn of the Common Council, also the Sheriffs.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent provide a proper grate for the office in the Cattle Market, such as Ald. Millerd shall approve of; *It.*, that £1 12*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Browne, so much expended by him in the repairs of the Corporation Gallery in Shandon Church; *It.*, that Manasses Colthurst, gent., be appointed receiver of the rents of the English Meat Shambles and back Shambles,

giving security for the penalty of £100 to pay his collections once a fortnight to the Chamberlain; *It.*, that Mr. Snowe prepare a Memorial to the Lo.-Chanc. praying for the appointment of Commissioners of Bankruptcy for this City, as it is highly inconvenient for the inhabitants of this City to go to Dublin on such Bankruptcys as may happen in this City; *It.*, £42 18*s.* 3*d.* to Elizabeth Gwinn, widow and adm^x. of Rich^d. Gwinn, late of this City, tyler, *dec.*, in full, for his account from 11 May, 1773, to 16 June, 1774; *It.*, that £10 be paid the Clerk of S^t. Mary Shandon, for instructing the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing, for one year; *It.*, that a grant be made to Hovell Farmer, Esq., of the office of Scavenger, for sweeping the Main Street from gate to gate, to hold same for 21 years, with liberty to lodge such dung as he shall collect on the Corporation Quay, on the East side of the South Bridge, with a clause of surrender every three years, said Hovell paying £10 a year; *It.*, 10*s.* 6*d.* to W^m. Wily, whitesmith, for sundry articles supplied for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £49 8*s.* 1½*d.* to Tim^y. Hughes, ironmonger, for work done; *It.*, £46 17*s.* 11½*d.* to Mr. Sheriff Fuller, for timber supplied from 9 Dec., 1772, to 14 May, 1774.

That Joseph Oates, gent., at the request of Mr. Mayor, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fuller and Bennett; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Franklin, Webb, Rowland, Baker; Mr. Browne and Izod.

13 *Jan.*, 1775.

Ald. Millerd, Franklin, Mr. Browne, Fitton, Kent, and Lucas, appointed by the C. D. H., to state the Chamberlain's accounts to the time of his removal from his office, report, that they find the sum of £500 10*s.* 1¼*d.* due from him to the Corporation, in which is included £103 2*s.* 6*d.* alledged to be due from the Widow Moriarty, for part of the rent of the Tolls of the Corn Market, from 29 Sep., 1772, to 29 Sep., 1773.

It., that the late Chamberlain be allowed £103 2*s.* 6*d.* due from the Widow Moriarty, out of the balance of £500 10*s.* 1¼*d.* on his delivering to Mr. Snowe the bonds of said Widow, to enable the Corporation to sue for balance; *It.*, that £365 be paid Mr. Mayor in addition to the salary of £200; *It.*, that the premises called the Old Bridewell, demised to John Gaggin, *dec.*, by the Corporation, be distrained for £242, balance of four years' rent due 25 March last.

This day, Wm. Snowe, Esq., and his son, John Snowe, were elected to the offices of Clerk of the Crown, and Clerk of the Peace of the co. of the City of Corke, to hold during good behaviour, &c.

It., £23 8s. 6½*d.* to Phineas Bagnell, for stationery; *It.*, that the several bonds passed to the Chamberlain for payments of the quarterly sums for gateage, and other tolls and dues, be given to the Town Clerk to sue for the money due thereon, if such bonds be not paid off in one month.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fuller and Bennett; Aldn. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Roe, Rowland; Mr. Browne, Izod, Denroch, and Thompson, C. S.

5 *May*, 1775.

We do hereby appoint Wm. French, of Cork, mercht., of the Par. of Holy Trinity, valuator in the room of Henry Martin, mercht., *dec.*, for the purposes mentioned in the Act for the regulation of the City. We appoint Francis Harvey, merch.t., of the par. of S. Peter, valuator in the room of Arthur Collis, gent., *dec.*, for *do.* We appoint Wm. Cormuck, of the Par. of S. Ann, valuator in the room of John Morris, *dec.*, malster, for *do.* We appoint John Guinan, tanner, of the Par. of S. Ann, valuator, instead of Wm. Austen, chandler, who hath removed out of said parish. We appoint Barthw. Bready, salt-boiler, of the Par. of S. Nicholas, valuator, in the room of Michl. Skeyes, chandler, *dec.* And we direct that the valuators shall ascertain the yearly value of any newly-erected, rebuilt, or enlarged houses since last valuation, out-house, office, cellar, stable, linney, or yard, and to add such valuation to the original valuation of the Parish in which such house is rebuilt, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fuller and Bennett; Aldn. Owgan, Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Parks, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, and Thompson, C. S.

5 *May*, 1775.

Ordered, that a new bond of the Mayor, &c., be passed to the Minister and C. W. of the parish of Christ Church, payable with interest at 6 *per cent.*, instead of the bonds they now hold at 5 *per cent.*; *It.*, that a new bond of the Mayor, &c., be passed to the Trustees of the North Infirmary, payable with 6 *per cent.* instead of the present bonds at 5 *per cent*; *It.*,

£14 16*s.* 7*d.* to the Mayor, expenses of a nightly patrol thro' this City for three weeks, to preserve the peace; for a year's pipe water paid Mr. Izod for the Mayoralty House, repairing the pipes, papering the parlour of *do.*, and burying two poor men who died in Bridewell; *It.*, £19 5*s.* 4½*d.* to Sampson Austen, woollen-draper, for clothing for the Blue Coats and Exchange porter; *It.*, £37 7*s.* 6½*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason; *It.*, £30 19*s.* 8*d.* to Rich^d^. Burt, glasier; *It.*, £19 7*s.* 8*d.* to Andrew Dalton, Carpenter; *It.*, £5 to the Widow of George Fuller, *dec.*, half-year's pension; *It.*, £1 3*s.* 8½*d.* to the excu^r^. of Mr. John Lawton, *dec.*, his account for Dutch Clinkers and Sherbridge Bricks, for Mayoralty House; *It.*, £44 0*s.* 7*d.* to Ald. Westropp, as Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, balance of his account; *It.*, £3 9*s.* 7*d.* to John Jappie, High Constable of the City, expended by him in taking rioters.

That Hugh Hovell Farmer, Esq., eldest son of Hovell F., *dec.*; Christopher Clarke, butcher, having served Francis Wise, *do.*; Robert Cotter, mercht., having served Stephen and Charles Denroch, *do.*; Bayly Breton, watchmaker, eldest son of Noblet B., mercht., *dec.*; Robert Hutchinson, mercht., having served Hugh Jameson, *do.*, *dec.*; John Barter Bennett, apothecary, having served Mr. Sheriff Bennett; Robert Baxter, butcher, eldest son of George B., *do.*, *dec.*; James Davies, mercht., having served Messrs. George and Paul Piersy and Christ. Waggett, merch^ts^.; John Longfield, Esq., only son of Willm. L., mercht., *dec.*; John Raymond, chandler, only son of Robt. R., *do.*, *dec.*; Arthur Bastable, gent., eldest son of George B., mercht., *dec.*, be admitted free.

It., that Mr. Kent buy 200 barrels of Coals for the Corporation.

Present—Jno. Travers, Mayor; Thom. Fuller and Philip Bennet, Sheriffs; Randall Westropp, Hugh Millerd, Usher Philpott, A. Franklin, W^m^. Parks, Sam. Maylor, G. Baker, J. Webb, Fran. Rowland, Steph. Denroch, Kevan Izod, John Thompson, Com. Speak^r^.

14 *Aug.*, 1775.

James Morrison, Burgess, being elected a Member of the Common Council, and Mr. John Dowman, C. S., took the oaths of a Common Council man.

Ordered, that £40 be paid Mr. David Bruce, one of the Burgesses.

The contract of Joseph Harris, for lighting the lamps in this City and

suburbs having expired 1 May, ordered, that an advertisement be published in Bagnell's Newspaper, that the Mayor, &c., will contract for lighting the lamps for the parishes in this City separately, or for the whole City, for three years, to be lighted with single burners; *It.*, £20 to the Mayor, for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, that Mr. Kent repair the back Shambles and Corn Market, pursuant to estimate; *It.*, £11 3*s.* 8½*d.* to Wm. Maturin, for newspapers supplied.

Whereas his Excellency the Lo.-Lieut. is shortly expected in this City, ordered, that an invitation be sent him to dine with the Corporation at the Mayoralty House, and that Ald. Franklin, the Sheriffs, and Town Clerk wait on his Excellency with the invitation; *It.*, that the Iron rails belonging to Mr. Butler's House be given to the parish of S. Paul, to ornament the Church and Church-yard; *It.*, £22 to Ald. Collis, expenses he was put to in defending himself against a prosecution commenced against him in the Court of Excheq. on account of some base money he took from a felon charged with coining when he was Mayor; *It.*, that £19 7*s.* 4*d.* be paid the Sheriffs, costs they were put to in the K.B. for payment of the debts of two persons removed from the City Gaol on writs of *Habeas Corpus*, and who were rescued by a mob on the road to Dublin; *It.*, that the Gateage and other Tolls be set up to public cant; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year on 29 Sep. next; *It.*, that a salary of £60 be paid the bailiff (duties as before).

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fuller and Bennett; Aldcn. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Collis, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, and Morrison.

5 *Sep.*, 1775.

That the Rt. Hon. Charles Jenkinson, P.C., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Ordered, that an entertainment be given Mr. Jenkinson at the Mayoralty House, and that Mr. Mayor provide same and invite the Company.

This day Ald. Franklin and Mr. Browne report that they examined the accounts of Francis Carleton, Esq., relative to Bretridge's and Skiddy's Alms House, and that £137 13*s.* 1½*d.* is due from said Carleton to said Alms Houses, and this Board directs that the proper steps be taken to prove said debt before the assignees of Mr. Carleton.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fuller and Bennett; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Rowland; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, Morrison, C. S., and Mr. Recorder.

22 *Nov.*, 1775.

William Butler, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs took the oath of Common Council men.

Ordered, that £23 14*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Burgess Izod for candles from 28 Sep., 1774, to 24 Aug., 1775; *It.*, 20 guineas to John Jappie and Gibbs Ross, High Constables, for their diligence in apprehending felons and notorious rioters; *It.*, £62 0*s.* 9*d.* to the late Mayor, expenses of an entertainment provided for Rt. Hon. C. Jenkinson; *It.*, a pension of £20 a year to the widow of Ald. Parks; *It.*, £160 to Edward Roche, Esq., for four years' rent of that part of the Exchange held from him; *It.*, £1 16*s.* 9½*d.* to the widow of Thomas Elmsly, *dec.*, late Exchange Porter; *It.*, £44 5*s.* 3*d.* to Mr. Nichˢ. Wrixon, Atty., expenses for the application to Parliament for the law passed last Session to exempt public buildings being charged on the valuation of houses in this City; *It.*, £4 12*s.* 11½*d.* to the late Mayor for rates, &c., paid for Mayoralty House; *It.*, £3 8*s.* 3*d.* to Joseph Bullen for 18 months' attendance at the Mayor's office; *It.*, that Ald. John Travers be appointed a Scavenger for sweeping the public street from the Cornmarket to the Bridewell, and the several lanes leading from the Main street to said street, also George's Quay and Sullivan's Quay; *It.*, that Ald. Phineas Bury be appointed Scavenger for sweeping, &c., Tuckey's Quay from Daunt's Bridge to the statue of K. George II.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Westropp; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Baker, Rowland, Travers, Webb, and Mr. Izod.

28 *Nov.*, 1775.

That John Tydd, gent., at the request of Mr. Mayor; Sir John Conway Colthurst, Bart., eldest son of Sir John Conway C., Bart., *dec.*; Thos. Vereker, Esq., eldest son of Henry V., Esq., *dec.*; John Warner, goldsmith, having served Wᵐ. Reynolds, *do.*; Danˡ. Satterford, butcher, eldest son of John S., *do.*, *dec.*; George Baxter, writing clerk, eldest son of Robert B., butcher, *dec.*; Wᵐ. Trinder, clothier, having served Edwᵈ. Parks and Franˢ.

Allin, *do.;* William Lumbley, merch^t^., having served W^m^. Lawton and Kevan Izod; John Turner, glazier, having served Richard Burt, *do.;* Richard Smy, cooper, having served Ald. Maylor; Walter Baldwin, Esq., eldest son of Henry B., Esq., *dec.;* Thomas Millerd, shoemaker, eldest son of Reuben Millerd, silversmith, *dec.;* George Williams, butcher, having served Thomas Williams and Edwd. Cooke, *do.;* Joseph Paul, cooper, having served John Paul, *do.;* Robert Franklin, gent., eldest son of Ald. F.; Edward Beads, mariner, eldest son of Edwd. B., barber, *dec.;* John Teulon, merch^t^., having served Westcombe Wood, merch^t^.; Henry Touchstone, merch^t^., having served Mr. Burgess Conner, *dec.;* Francis Adams, butcher, eldest son of Francis A., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Westropp; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Rowland, Webb, Baker, Travers; Mr. Izod, Denroch, and Dowman, C. S.

8 *Dec.*, 1775.

Ordered, that Major Gen. Robt. Cunningham, Esq., Provincial Genl. of Munster, in the room of Lord Blaney, *dec.*, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; also Mountifort Longfield, Esq.; Abraham Augustus Nickson, Esq.; and Benjn. Richard Nickson, Esq., freemen at large.

It., £9 2*s.* 2*d.* to Mr. Mayor, expenses of papering two rooms at the Mayoralty House, and two mahogany tables bought for use of same house.

That James Millerd, gent., nephew to Ald. Millerd; John Parks, gent., eldest son of Ald. P., *dec.;* Charles Bennett, butcher, having served his father, James B., *do.*, be admitted free.

It., that Saml. Brooks, cooper, freemen at large, be appointed Exchange Porter or keeper of the Exchange; *It.*, that Manasses Colthurst, who acted since Aug. last Exchange Porter, be paid for his trouble 4 guineas, also to have the clothes that were made for him as Exchange Porter.

That Roger M^c^ O'Boy, apothecary, having served Mr. Sher. Bennett; John Thomas Baxter, butcher, having served George Baxter, *do.*, *dec.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Westropp; Ald^en^. Millerd, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Collis, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Dowman, C. S.

24 *Jan.*, 1776.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Roe, Rowland, and Mr. Browne.

26 *Jan.*, 1776.

Ordered, that £16 12*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Saml. Hobbs, joiner, work done from 31 Sep., 1774, to 12 July last; *It.*, £18 17*s.* 10½*d.* to Phineas Bagnell & Co. for printing from 28 March to 22 Nov. last; *It.*, £11 19*s.* 6*d.* to William Butler, Esq., for clothing for the Bellmen and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £20 4*s.* to Ald. Westropp, due to him as Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, to be accounted for on the loan.

An application having been made to the Mayor by Major-Gen. Cunningham for permission to smooth and clean the passage between the Castle and the old Barrack, ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Millerd, Franklin, and Roe be impowered to view said passage, and if they think proper, to grant such permission; *It.*, £14 13*s.* 6*d.* to Saml. Hobbs in full for work done; *It.*, £22 3*s.* 9*d.* to Sampson Austen, for clothing for five boys apprenticed from the Blue Coat Hospital; *It.*, £65 19*s.* 11½*d.* to William Mahony, tyler, for his account; *It.*, £30 5*s.* 0½*d.* to Mr. Burgess Fuller, for timber, deals, &c., supplied; *It.*, 12*s.* 10½*d.* to Manasses Colthurst, for mats and sand for Council Chamber; *It.*, £2 16*s.* 10½*d.* for veal skins for covering the Tholsel Office Books.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Franklin, Roe, Rowland; Mr. Browne, and Dowman, C. S.

7 *Feb.*, 1776.

Ordered, that £65 be paid Willm. Butler, Esq., Mayor, to complete his salary; *It.*, £14 13*s.* 7*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason, work done from 9 Jan., 1775, to 24 Oct., 1775; *It.*, £11 0*s.* 1*d.* to Timothy Hughes, smith, work done.

That Edward Pope, Cooper, having served Roger Langley, *do.*, be admitted free.

It., £11 18*s.* 10½*d.* to John Jappie, for Coal Barrels supplied and repairing old ones; *It.*, £10 a year to Mrs. Jane Bruce, widow of the late Burgess

Bruce; *It.*, £10 a year to Mrs. Elizabeth Lloyd, widow of the late Burgess Lloyd.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Westropp, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Roe, Rowland; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Dowman, C. S.

13 *March*, 1776.

Ordered, that an address to his Majesty in the name of the Mayor, Sheriffs, Merchants, Traders, and Inhabitants of Corke, declaring our abhorrence of the American Rebellion, and our resolution to support H. M.'s person and Government, as well against American Insurgents as other enemies, be sent to our Rep.'s in Parliament to be handed to His Excell. the Lo.-Lieut.

It., that a Memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., be presented to His Excellency, praying that two Lighthouses may be erected at the entrance of the Harbour of Cork, for the safety of the trade of this City, to be sent to our Representatives in Parliament.

This day Ald. Maylor, Mr. Browne, Wrixon, Harding, and Fuller report that they have examined the Chamberlain's accounts to 29 Sep. last, and that the sum of £165 15*s.* 1½*d.* is due from him to the Corporation.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 Barrels of Coal for the Corporation.

We approve of James Simmons to be Dep. Waterbailiff of the City of Corke.

That Joseph Bennett Wakeham, gent., eldest son of Willᵐ. W., gent., *dec.*, and Rowland Jackson Connor, apothecary, having served John Waddington, *do.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Westropp; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Roe, Wrixon, Franklin, Travers, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

8 *May*, 1776.

Ordered, that 3 guineas be paid Mr. Burgess Browne for painting the Corporation Gallery in S. Mary Shandon.

That William Turvin, gent., eldest son of James T., merchᵗ., *dec.*; Benjamin Barter, cooper, having served Wᵐ. Barter, *do.*; Hans Godfrey, cooper, having served Ald. Maylor; Thomas Scanlan, merchᵗ., having served

Ald. Philpott: Michl. Ottley, clothier, having served Norris Bollard, *do.;* Francis Beamish, Esq., eldest son of Wm. Beamish, Esq., *dec.;* Robert Wrixon, Esq., eldest son of Henry W., Esq., *dec.;* John Boyle, Esq., eldest son of Bellingham B., Esq., *dec.;* Henry Sheares, Esq., eldest son of Henry S., *dec.;* James Louris, cooper, having served Robt. Eason, Jun., *do.;* John Heard, gent., having served Wm. Snowe; James Fuller, mercht., having served Wm. Webb and John Day, *do.;* Butler Fogerty, mercht., having served Wm. Clarke; John Whiting, cooper, having served John Baker, *do.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Westropp; Aldcn. Westropp, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Dowman, C. S.

10 *June*, 1776.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp, Ald. Millerd and Bury, be a committee to look out for a proper place to build Guard Houses and offices for H. M. officers and soldiers who shall mount the Main Guard; *It.*, £35 15*s.* 5½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, work done; *It.*, £46 2*s.* 6*d.* to Wm. Reynolds, goldsmith and silversmith, work done from 16 March, 1774, to 12 Dec., 1775; *It.*, £7 0*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Mayor, for clothing for Exchange Porter; *It.*, 9*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. Mayor, for two large wooden trays bought for the use of the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £2 5*s.* 6*d.* to Joseph Bullen, six months' attendance in the Mayor's Office in the Exchange, and keeping same clean.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp; Aldcn. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Webb, Travers; Mr. Browne, and Dowman, C. S.

28 *June*, 1776.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John. Snowe, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp; Aldcn. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, and Mr. Browne.

3 *July*, 1776.

It is the opinion of this Board that the present Fowl Market will be a proper place to build a Guard House for the Main Guard; ordered, that

Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp, and Mr. Burgess Henry Wrixon be a committee to get a plan and estimate prepared; *It.*, that £65 18*s.* 7*d.* be paid Mr. Nichs. Wrixon, atty., in full for his bill of costs from Trin. T., 1774, to Hil. T., 1776.

That Robert Fuller Hartnett, Esq., Councillor-at-Law, be admitted free.

It., That Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of coal for the Corporation; *It.*, £25 0*s.* 3*d.* to Wm. Snowe, Esq., his Bill of costs from 7 June, 1773, to 13 March last.

It., that the three Bonds passed to the Minister and C. W. of the Parish of S. Peter, for the use of the poor, making £315 at 5 *per cent.*, be taken up, and a new Bond with interest at 6 *per cent.* passed, and that the order of 23 Aug., 1774, for passing a Bond to said Minister, &c., be rescinded.

It., that Interest at 6 *per cent.* be paid the Trustees of the will of Archd. Pomeroy, *dec.*, for £180 for clothing and schooling as many poor boys of the Par. of S. Peter as far as same will go, and which was borrowed by the Corporation at 5 *per cent.* (order vacated as the bond is not produced).

It., that interest at 6 *per cent.* be paid the Trustees of the will of Mrs. Shearman, *dec.*, for £50 left by her for building a poor school in the Par. of S. Peter and paying the rent, which was borrowed at 5 *per cent.* (vacated for like reason); *It.*, that no further interest be paid on the two last-mentioned bonds until they be produced.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Westropp; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Izod, and Browne.

20 *July*, 1776.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Westropp; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, and Mr. Browne.

26 *July*, 1776.

Whereas on the night of last Wednesday a soldier belonging to H. M. 19 Reg. Foot, being on duty as sentinel at Blackpool, was most barbarously haughed by two persons unknown without the least provocation, ordered, that £50 be paid to any person who within six calendar months shall convict said offenders, or either of them.

Ordered, £20 to Mr. Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Millerd, Bury, and Henry Wrixon, Esq., be a committee to inspect Mr. Tuckey's ground on the South side of Tuckey Street, which place this Board thinks to be proper for building a Main Guard house, and report what quantity of ground will be necessary for building said Guard House; *It.*, that the quay near the Mayoralty House be repaired, and that Mr. Mayor; Ald. Millerd, and Henry Wrixon, Esq., oversee the doing thereof; *It.*, £29 8s. 11½*d.* to Wm. Mahony, tyler, for work done; *It.*, that stall No. 15 in the English Shambles be set to Tho. Hardaway, butcher, for seven years, at a rent of 14 pence a week, provided he shall live so long, and the English Meat Shambles continue where it is now; *It.*, that stall No. 21 in the English Meat Shambles be set to Joshua Coe, butcher, for seven years, at 14 pence a week, provided he live so long, and the shambles continue where they are now; *It.*, £2 10s. to Mr. Mayor for Hearth Money and Taxes of the Mayoralty, and mending the clock in the kitchen of same; *It.*, £10 to James Magrath, Clerk of Christ Church, for instructing the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing for one year; *It.*, 2 guineas to Madge Lane, daughter of Walter Lane, *dec.*, who was many years sword-bearer, said Madge being very old, infirm, and in necessitous circumstances; *It.*, that William Dibbins, a poor old blind freeman, be paid 6 guineas a year instead of four; *It.*, that £17 14s. 5½*d.* be paid John Busteed, printer, in full for printing work and newspapers from 27 March, 1775, to 25 March last; *It.*, that John Busteed be no longer imployed for printing, and the taking his newspapers be discontinued.

That Joshua Connor, clothier, having served John Connor, *do.*; Zacharias Cooke Collis, gent., only son of Revd. Wm. Collis, Clk., *dec.*; John Heard, clothier, having served Joseph Heard, *do.*; Joseph Heard, jun., clothier, having served Joseph Heard, *do.*; Wm. Barry, mercht., having served Wm. Skeys, *do.*; Peter Benson, mercht., having served Paul B., *do.*; Jacob Crawford, gent., having served James Chatterton, Esq.; Wm. Travers, mariner, eldest son of Wm. T., gent., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that the Widow Doran, Luke Stritch, the Widow Harding, James Smith, Michl. Dunworth, and Simon Frith immediately build parapet walls opposite their respective dwelling-houses on Allen's Quay, in the North Suburbs of this City, pursuant to Acts of Parliament.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton; Aldn. Westropp, Millerd, Bury,

Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Roe, Travers ; Mr. Browne, and Denroch.

29 *July*, 1776.

Whereas the Lo.-Lieut. is now in the neighbourhood of this City, ordered, that an invitation be sent his Excelly., and such Noblemen and Gentlemen as shall be with him, also the Earls of Inchiquin and Shannon, and to Richard Longfield, Esq., one of our Rep.'s in Parliament, to dine with the Corporation at the Mayoralty House, and that Sher. Westropp, Ald. Millerd, Travers, and the Town Clerk wait on His Excell. with the invitation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Roe, Travers; Mr. Browne, and Denroch.

6 *Sep.*, 1776.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other Tolls and Customs of this City, &c., be set to public cant (as before) paying the canter one guinea for each cant, and that no milk be pitched for sale in any of the markets, except in the North and South Milk Markets, and the markets lately erected in Blackpool; *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Water Bailiff (salary and duties as before); *It.*, that the Quay near the Mayoralty House be repaired, as part of same has fallen down, and that the Mayor, Ald. Millerd, and Hen. Wrixon, Esq., oversee same; *It.*, £9 7*s.* to Mr. Sher. Westropp, expenses attending his, Ald. Millerd, Travers, and Mr. Snow's waiting on the Lo.-Lieut. at Castlemartyr to invite him to dine; *It.*, £2 10*s.* to Timothy Mulcahy for painting and guilding the dial-plate of the clock on the Exchange; *It.*, £10 a year to the widow of Sheriff Lawton, *dec.*; *It.*, £26 12*s.* 6*d.* to Ald. Westropp, for the clothing of six boys of S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £13 5*s.* 8½*d.* to Phineas Bagnell, printer, for work done from 7 Oct., 1775, to 25 March, 1776; *It.*, £51 2*s.* 3*d.* to George Seymour, brazier and tin man, for work done; *It.*, that a lot of ground on the South side of Tuckey's street, containing 46 feet in front, be taken from Thomas Tuckey, gent., for 999 years, at a yearly rent of £23, to build thereon a Guard house for the Main Guard.

This day Mr. Sher. Denroch was sworn of the Council, Mr. Mayor Elect to keep the secrets of the Council, and Mr. Thos. Harding as C. S.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp and Denroch; Ald^en^. Westropp,

Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Franklin, and Mr. Denroch.

11 *Sep.*, 1776.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Webb, and Mr. Browne.

18 *Sep.*, 1776.

Ordered, that a pension of £50 a year be paid the widow of the late Sheriff Lawton, *dec.*, in remembrance of the uncommon activity and attention of her late husband in the execution of his office, the vigorous exertion of which in some measure hastened his death.

That John Morgan, gent., eldest son of Jonathan M., *dec.*; Wm. Wade, gent., eldest son of Thos. W., merct., *dec.*, be admitted free.

It., £11 7*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Wm. Maturin for Irish and English Newspapers; *It.*, £31 6*s.* to Messrs. Izod and Busteed for candles from 14 Sep., 1775, to 28 Aug. last.

That Edmond Armstrong, of Ennis, co. Clare, Esq., brother-in-law of Mr. Sheriff Westropp, and Mr. Edward Dorman, brother-in-law to Mr. Sheriff Denroche, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Westropp and Denroch; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers; Mr. Denroch and Izod.

1 *Nov.*, 1776.

Hugh Lawton, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Mayor and Mr. Sheriff Day took the oath of Common Council men.

That the Rt. Hon. Lo. Visc. Kingsborrough be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Whereas a dispute has arisen between the Corporation and Mr. John Harding, burgess, touching the right to the quayage of part of the West Quay of the Bridewell dock, and Mr. Harding, to prevent the expenses of litigation, proposed to refer the dispute to the arbitration of two lawyers,

one to be named by the Mayor, &c., the other by Mr. Harding, and in case they disagree a third lawyer to be named. This Board doth agree to said proposals, provided Mr. Harding, the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Speaker do execute in open court of D. H. a bond to abide by said arbitration.

Whereas Joshua Coe, butcher, an old freeman, is reduced in circumstances and in great want, ordered, that he have liberty to occupy Stall No. 21 in the English Meat Shambles for seven years rent free, to be occupied by himself and family, and to keep it supplied with proper meat.

Whereas Thomas Hardaway, butcher, is likewise in great want, &c., ordered, that he occupy Stall No. 15 free on same terms.

Ordered, that two looking-glasses and two Gerandoles be bought by Mr. Mayor, for the use of the Mayoralty House.

It., that each Coal Porter that refuses plying for the wages settled by a former order of Council be fined 5*s*.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Harding, C. S.

8 *Nov.*, 1776.

Ordered, that the English Shambles and the back Shambles be altered, and a bog-house be made in the Fish Shambles, and that Mr. Mayor oversee same.

Whereas Joseph Elliot, who took the dues of the Markets at Blackpool, hath refused to pass bonds and execute the lease thereof, pursuant to agreement, ordered, that said dues be canted first Monday in Dec. next, for three-quarters of a year, provided Elliot does not meantime execute his bond and lease.

It., 20 guineas to John Jappie and Gibbs Ross, High Constables, a reward for their extraordinary vigilance in bringing to justice divers disturbers of the peace; *It.*, £43 10*s*. 4*d*. to Mr. Nicholas Wrixon, Atty., for law business in the cause Forster *v.* Ross; *It.*, £10 to James Magrath, Clerk of Christ Church, for instructing the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing for one year.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Leycester; Ald^en^. Westropp, Bury, Franklin, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Philpott, Swete; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Denroch.

15 *Nov.*, 1776.

This day Mr. Sheriff Leycester took the oath of a Common Council man as Sheriff.

Ordered, that £12 13*s.* 5*d.* be paid Phineas Bagnell, printer, work done from 1 May, 1776, to 25 Sep. last. *It.*, that the Corporation bond be passed to the Trustees of the North Infirmary for £200 borrowed by them; also £40 left by Henry Moore, Esq., to said Trustees, and which they lent the Corporation. *It.*, £17 2*s.* to Sampson Austin, woollen draper, for clothing supplied the Bellmen and Exchange porter.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Alde^n^. Westropp, Philpott, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Franklin, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Denroch, and Harding, C. S.

22 *Nov.*, 1776.

Ordered, that Ald. Travers do provide suitable lodgings for the Judges of Assize, and that he be allowed for the same the yearly sum of £40; *It.*, that the several licences granted for selling and retailing coals be hereby revoked; *It.*, that if any Coal Porter shall hinder any other coal porter from carrying coals, he shall forfeit 5*s.* in a summary way, half to the informer, the other to the Governors of the Workhouse.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Alde^n^. Westropp, Swete, Bury, Franklin, Maylor, Baker, Philpott, Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Webb, Rowland; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Harding, C. S.

29 *Nov.*, 1776.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Leycester; Alde^n^. Westropp, Bury, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Mr. Browne and Izod.

6 *Dec.*, 1776.

This day Godfrey Baker, Esq., produced his accounts of his Waterbailiffship from 27 June, 1774 to 29 June last; whereby it appears he paid into the hands of the Chamberlain £461 11*s.* 11½*d.* over and above all expenses,

besides £10 8s. 7*d.* by him laid out in erecting a new spit at Cove; *It.*, 16s. to Mr. Burgess Browne, for slating the bog-house on the Blind Quay; *It.*, £9 15s. to Charles Dickenson, for 24 constables staves; *It.*, £5 7s. 1*d.* to Wm. Wily, Blacksmith, for work done; *It.*, £3 4s. to George Ward, House Carpenter, for work done; *It.*, 2 guineas to Joseph Bullen, six months' attendance on the Mayor's Office and Exchange.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldn. Westropp, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Harding, C. S.

20 *Dec.*, 1776.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day; Aldn. Westropp, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Browne and Izod.

24 *Dec.*, 1776.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Leycester; Aldn. Westropp, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

31 *Dec.*, 1776.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., have been served with a writ of *mandamus* of the K. B., to wit:

"George III., &c. To the Mayor, &c., of Corke, greeting. Whereas from time to time whereof the memory of man is not to the contrary, the eldest son of every Freeman on attaining the age of twenty-one claim to be entitled to be admitted freemen, whether the father be living or dead; and as Richard Fitton, Esq., eldest son of William F., a Freeman, hath attained 21 years, and as alledged, made application to the Mayor, &c., to be admitted a Freeman. You, the Mayor, &c., not ignorant of the premises, &c., refuse in contempt of us. We, willing that speedy justice be done said Richard, formly enjoin you, after the receipt of this writ, you admit said

Richard Fitton into the priviledge and franchise aforesaid, &c. Witness John, Lord Annaly, 18 Nov., A°. Reg. 17.

"Ex. by Tho. Tisdal. Wm. Fitton allowed.—Annaly. Carter."

We, the Mayor, &c., being of opinion that Rich. Fitton is not entitled to be admitted a Freeman during the lifetime of his Father, do direct that a return be made to the *mandamus* of our refusal to admit said Richard Fitton, and that a proper defence be taken to said *mandamus* in the C. K. B.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Leycester; Aldcn. Westropp, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Butler; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Harding, C. S.

"I hereby protest against this refusal, because I am of opinion he has an undoubted right under the Bye-laws of this Corporation, agreeable to the usage from time to time (until of late years), as will appear by the records, and some who have gone through the office of Mayor and Sheriffs have been admitted free at large under that right only.—Tho. Browne."

10 *Jan.*, 1777.

That Kingston Roche, gent., eldest son of George R., *dec.;* Edward Roche, Esq., eldest son of Edmond R., Esq., *dec.;* John Abell, mercht., having served George Newsom, *do.;* Will. Edmonds, cooper, having served Paul Baker, *do.;* John Pim Samuel, mercht., having served Ebenezer Pike and Saml. Pike, *do.;* Edward Godfrey, mercht., having served Peter Cambridge, *do., dec.;* Henry Holmes, grocer, having served Richd. Fuller, *do.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Leycester; Aldcn. Westropp, Philpott, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Butler, Rowland; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Harding, C. S.

17 *Jan.*, 1777.

Ordered, that £17 6*s.* 3*d.* be paid Will. Flyn, Printer, in full his account, and lodgings supplied the Officer of the Guard.

It., £16 3*s.* 7*d.* to John Jappie, cooper, for coal barrels supplied; *It.*, £64 2*s.* 10½*d.* to Mr. Thos. Fuller, for timber supplied.

This day a return on the *mandamus* of Richd. Fitton, Esq., drawn by

the Dep. Recorder and Counr. Millerd, Hartnell, and Lane, being read, the same was approved and signed by the Mayor, &c.

It., that 12 guineas be paid to Mr. Mayor, to be by him paid to the Dep. Recorder, Counr. Millerd, Hartnell, and Lane, for their trouble in drawing the return on the *mandamus* brought by Richd. Fitton against this Board.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day; Aldcn. Westropp, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

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31 *Jan.*, 1777.

Ordered, that the Earl of Buckinghamshire, Lo.-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a gold box, by our representative in Parliament and our Recorder, and that his freedom and box be sent to the Rt. Hon. the Provost; *It.*, Rt. Hon. Rich^d. Heron, Secy. to Lo.-Lieut., in a silver box, to be presented likewise; *It.*, that Ald. Philpott and Rowland examine the accounts of Francis Carleton, jun., receiver to Bretridge's and Skiddy's Almshouses; *It.*, that two stalls in the English Market, No. 15 and 21, be set to the highest bidder (being a Protestant butcher) for seven years, living so long, provided he does not hire or lend it to a Papist; to be void in case the Corporation in the meantime think proper to convert the Shambles to any other use. *It.*, £36 12*s.* 1*d.* to Ald. Westropp, Master of the Blue Coat Hospital, balance of his account; *It.*, that a Cap and Gown be provided by Mr. Mayor for the Sword-bearer.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Ald^en. Westropp, Philpott, Wetherall, Maylor, Rowland, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Harding, C. S.

14 *March*, 1777.

Ordered, that a Posting be put upon the Exchange, for a C. D. H., on 21 inst., at 11, to elect an Alderman of the Ward, in the room of Noblet Phillips, Esq., *dec.*; *It.*, that a piece of plate, value 30 *gs.*, be presented to Mr. Burgess Browne, as a public testimony of the many services by him done for the Corporation, with the following Inscription: "This Piece of Plate was, in the year 1777, presented by the Mayor, Sheriffs, Common Council and Commonalty of the City of Corke to Thomas Browne, Esq., one of the Burgesses, and also one of the Common Council of the said City, as a Publick Testimony of the many services by him done for the Corporation of the said City, for a long series of years past, in settling the

Public Accounts, attending the due management of the Charitable foundations under the Government of the Corporation, and in attending to every other matter conducive to the welfare of the Corporation." And it is ordered that said Piece of Plate be made under the directions of Mr. Mayor, the expense be paid out of the Corporation Revenues.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Bury, Franklin, Maylor, Roe, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Harding, C. S.

18 *April*, 1777.

Ordered, that Mr. Snowe do directly take the opinion of the Recorder in what manner the Mayor, &c. shall proceed for establishing under the Acts of Parliament proper valuators of the houses, cellars, &c. in this City and Suburbs, in order to raise the public money presented at the Assizes, and other public money in this City, as the Judge at last Summer Assizes (in the case of Forster against one of the Constables for collecting the public money) was of opinion the present valuations were improperly made.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldᵉⁿ. Philpott, Bury, Maylor, Webb, Roe, Travers, Wetherall, Baker; Mr. Izod, and Morrison.

25 *April*, 1777.

Ordered, that £109 5*s.* 9*d.* be paid Samuel Hobbs, carpenter, in full for his account from 23 June, 1776, to 10 April inst.; *It.*, £83 2*s.* 6½*d.* to Richᵈ. Burt, glazier; *It.*, £10 5*s.* 10½*d.* to said Burt, for work done at St. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £43 1*s.* 8½*d.* to Timothy Hughes, for ironwork; *It.*, £28 7*s.* 5½*d.* to Wᵐ. Mahony, tyler; *It.*, £45 18*s.* 1½*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason; *It.*, £3 6*s.* to the Revᵈ. Henry Sandiford, Corporation Chaplain, to buy a tippet.

That John Smith, merchᵗ., having served Wᵐ. Cuthbert, *do.*; Revᵈ. Chambre Corker, Clk., eldest son of Thos. C., Esq., *dec.*, and Joseph Dibbs, merchᵗ., having served Thos. Strettell, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Bury, Maylor, Webb, Butler, Roe, Rowland, Travers, Baker; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Izod.

9 *May*, 1777.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldcn. Millerd, Webb, and Mr. Browne.

30 *May*, 1777.

No business.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldcn. Millerd, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Webb, Roe, Butler, Maylor; Mr. Browne, Morrison, H. Harding, and Thos. Harding, C. S.

3 *June*, 1777.

That Richd. Fitton, Esq., eldest son of Mr. Wm. F.; Marmaduke Peacock, Esq., at the request of the Mayor; Hon. Wm. Williams Hewett, Esq., son to the Rt. Hon. the Lo. Chancellor; Michæl Morrison, mercht., eldest son of Mr. James M.; Revd. Jennett Browne, Clk., eldest son of Revd. Archd. Edwd. B.; Rev. Thos. Adderly Browne, eldest son of Revd. Doctor St. John Browne; William Spread, Esq., eldest son of John S., Esq.; Christr. Hendley, Esq., eldest son of Mathias Hendley, Esq.; Robert Ashe, gent., eldest son of Richd. Ashe, Esq.; Thomas Travers, gent., eldest son of Robt. Travers of Ballycurreen, gent; Francis Bernard, jun., Esq., eldest son of James B., Esq.; Wm. Blennerhasset, jun., Esq., only son of Wm. B., Esq.; Thomas Newman, gent., eldest son of Charles N., gent., *dec.*; Francis Tydd, jun., eldest son of Francis T., gent.; Heyward St. Leger, Esq., eldest son of Warham St. L., Esq.; Henry Ball, gent., eldest son of Robt. Ball, Esq.; Thomas Austen, gent., eldest son of William Austen, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £19 17*s.* 6*d.* be paid John Jappie, cooper, for ten new coal barrels, and ten new coal half barrels; *It.*, £104 6*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Nich. Wrixon, atty., for bill of costs in defending the *mandamus* brought by Richd. Fitton, Esq., against the Mayor, &c.; *It.*, £22 15*s.* to Mr. Wm. Jones, atty., for his trouble in acting as agent under the Managers appointed by order of the C. D. H. to conduct the defence of the above suit; *It.*, that the sum of £50, part of £250 left by the will of Mr. Danl. Thrasher, *dec.*, to the Mayor, &c., for occasional Sermons in the church of S. Mary Shandon,

be lent to Henry De la Main and Watkins William Verling, gent., passing their bond to the Mayor for payment thereof with legal interest; *It.*, 3*s.* 6*d.* a week to Ald. Travers, to maintain in Bridewell one Wm. Shayler, who is there confined as a necessary witness to prosecute one Sullivan, charged with robbing one James Harvey of a very considerable sum of money in the Harbour of this City; *It.*, that Ald. Bury, Webb, Butler, Mr. Burgess Morrison and Henry Wrixon, Esq., be a committee to get a plan drawn of the Guard Houses and offices necessary to be built on the ground taken from Mr. Tuckey, also an estimate of the expense of building same.

We appoint David Connell, mercht., of the Parish of S. Paul's, a valuator in the room of Peter Mathis, late of said Parish, chandler, *dec.*, for the purposes of the Act for the regulation of the City; Arthur Connell, mercht., of the parish of S. Paul, in the room of Sober Kent, late of said parish, mercht.; Bartholomew Donaghue, mercht., of the Par. of S. Paul, in the room of Vesian Moses Pick, mercht.; John Jappie, cooper, of the par. of S. Paul, in the room of Hugh Lawton, Burgess; Thomas Fuller, Esq., of the Par. of S. Peter, in the room of Wm. Garrett, chocolate maker; Attwell Hayes, brewer, of the Par. of S. Peter, in the room of Patrick Sarsfield, of said parish, *dec.*; John Moylan, jun., mercht., of the parish of St. Mary Shandon, in the room of Thomas Rierdan, of said parish, mercht., *dec.*; William Stack, cooper, of the par. of S. Finbarry, in the room of Francis Creed; Boyle Jagoe, Butter Mercht., of the par. of S. Finbarry, in the room of Arthur Dillon, Esq.

It., £30 a year to Wm. Jenkins, Esq., Dep.-Recorder, during his residence in this City, and attention to the holding the several Courts, and provided he advise the Mayor and other Magistrates in any difficult points that may arise.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Roe, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, Morrison, and Harding, C. S.

6 *June*, 1777.

This day Mr. Henry Harding, Burgess, was sworn a member of the Common Council.

That Sampson Jervois, mercht., having served Wm. Rickotts, *do.*; Simon Farthing, eldest son of Robt. Davies, Esq.; Edward, eldest son of Robert Hoare, Esq., be admitted free.

Ordered, that 10 guineas be paid Joseph Bullen, Esq., half-year's attendance on the Mayor's Office in the Exchange.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Swete, Bury, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Mr. Tho. Harding, C. S.

13 *June*, 1777.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Burgess Browne and Morrison.

20 *June*, 1777.

That Sir John Irwin, Knt. Bart., and Comᵣ.-in-Chief of the Forces in Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box; also George, eldest son of Wills Crofts; Robᵗ. Sealy, merchᵗ., eldest son of George Sealy, Esq.; Henry, eldest son of Henry Duqueray, Esq., be admitted free.

Ordered, £4 0*s.* 9½*d.* to Wᵐ. Stephens for painting and lettering constables' staves and plates for the Constables' Houses; *It.*, £81 2*s.* 11½*d.* to Mr. Wᵐ. Reynolds for Gold and Silversmith's work done by him; *It.*, £18 3*s.* 11*d.* to Phineas Bagnell, printer, for work done; *It.*, £198 16*s.* 11*d.* to Mr. Will. Fitton, atty., costs, &c., taxed against the Mayor, &c., in favour of Richᵈ. Fitton, Esq., in the case of his freedom; *It.*, £12 10*s.* 8½*d.* to Edmond Flaherty, mason, for repairing the Quay at the Mayoralty House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Bury, Webb, Butler, Baker; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Harding, C. S.

11 *July*, 1777.

This day the Common Speaker was sworn in Council; *It.*, a plan and estimate for building the Guard Houses, &c., in Tuckey Street was laid before the Council.

Ordered, that £20 be paid the Mayor for an entertainment on 1 Aug.; *It.*, £5 3*s.* 3*d.* to Messrs. Samˡ. Beale and Co. for milled lead; *It.*, £18 9*s.* to the Sheriffs, expenses they were put to in removing one Gormacan from the City Gaol on a *Habeas Corpus*, who was rescued by a mob at Castle

Dermot; *It.*, that £12 1*s.* to Wm. Maturin for newspapers supplied; *It.*, £1 9*s.* 7½*d.* to Mr. Michl. Mahony for collecting Corporation rents.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day; Aldcn. Westropp, Philpott, Wrixon, Webb, Roe, Maylor, Baker, Butler; Mr. Denroch, Morrison, and Busteed, C. S.

12 *Sep.*, 1777.

No meeting for want of a sufficient number. — Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder, Sher. Day; Aldcn. Westropp, Millerd, Webb, Maylor, Butler, Baker; Mr. Browne and Izod.

16 *Sep.*, 1777.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other Tolls of this City be set by public cant (conditions as before); *It.*, that a posting be put upon the Exchange for a Water Bailiff for one year; *It.*, that his salary be £60 for one year (duties as before); *It.*, 15 guineas to Wm. Snowe, and he is directed to wait upon the Recorder, Councs. Bennett, and Jenkins, and give each a fee of five guineas, to consider what amendments will be necessary for carrying into execution an act made 11 and 12 of His Maj. reign for the regulation of the City, &c.; *It.*, that 5 guineas be paid Mr. Wm. Snow for his trouble; *It.*, £36 6*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. Mayor, expenses of an entertainment provided at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, £14 13*s.* 1½*d.* for two Flaggs for the use of the Corporation; *It.*, £4 14*s.* 11½*d.* to Mr. Mayor for sundrys paid for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £1 2*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Izod for pipe water for the Mayoralty House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Aldcn. Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Baker; Mr. Harding, Busteed, C. S., and Mr. Browne and Izod.

19 *Sep.*, 1777.

That the Rt. Hon. Morrogh, Earl of Inchiquin, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; also Abraham, eldest son of Jonas Morris, Esq.; Roger Adams, mercht., eldest son of Jonathan A., *do.*; Francis Beare, glazier, eldest son of Henry B., cooper; Wm. Johnson, mercht., eldest son of Peter J., *do.*; John Carleton, mercht., eldest son of George C., *do.*; Phineas Ryall, Esq., eldest son of Wm. Ryall, Esq.; Caleb Falkiner, Esq., eldest son of Riggs F., Esq.; Saml. Norris, gent., eldest son of Richd. N., mercht.; Robt. Longfield, Esq., eldest son of John L., Esq., *dec.*, who was eldest son

of Robert L., Esq., *dec.*, an ancient Freeman; John Adam Malet, brewer, a Protestant stranger, and who hath come to this City to reside with his family, paying 20*s.*; Digby O'Brien, merch^t.^, being bound for seven years to Peter Cambridge, merch^t.^, *dec.*, having paid him a fee of £200, and having served said Cambridge till his death, but not for the time he was bound for; Harmer Spratt, merch^t.^, having served Wm. Coles; Wm. Groves, cooper, having served John Cole, *do.*; Philip Allen, merch^t.^, having served Christ. Allen, *do.*, and brewer; Wm. Fitton, gent., having served James and Thomas Chatterton, Esqs.; Thomas Spiers Gabbet; John Swayne of Youghal; Thomas Fuller, gent.; Mr. Thomas Boyce, clothier; Mr. Wm. Cormack, merch^t.^; Robert Hurly, gent.; Will. Busteed, gent.; Christ. Crofts, jun.; Wm. Barton of Grove, Esq.; George Stannard, Esq.; Charles Leslie, Esq.; John Colthurst, gent.; Henry Cole Bowen, Esq.; Ottwell Puxley, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that 3*s.* 6*d.* be paid Ald. Travers by the week, for supporting in Bridewell one Wm. Shayler, a necessary witness to prosecute at next assizes one Sullivan, indicted for felony; *It.*, £8 6*s.* 9*d.* to Messrs. Pounden and Roberts in full for scales and weights.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Day and Leycester; Ald^en.^ Millerd, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Roe, Rowland, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, and Busteed, C. S.

14 *Oct.*, 1777.

Thomas Owgan, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Mayor and also the Sheriffs were sworn of the Common Council.

Ordered, that £235 be paid Hugh Lawton, Esq., late Mayor, in addition to his salary, as a testimonial to his activity and good services to the City during his Mayoralty; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange on 23 Oct., for the election of a Sword Bearer, the person elected to find security before the Mayor, &c., for the due discharge of said office by himself or by a sufficient deputy; *It.*, £40 to John Jappie and Gibbs Ross, High Constables of this City, for their vigilance in bringing to justice divers house-breakers and disturbers of the public peace.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en.^ Westropp, Millerd,

Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne and Izod.

24 *Oct.*, 1777.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Westropp, Philpott, Wetherall, Butler; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

25 *Oct.*—Ordered, that Mr. Sober Kent, City overseer, buy 100 barrels of coals.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Bury; Mr. Busteed, and Browne.

7 *Nov.*, 1777.

Whereas Nich. Fitton hath failed in the execution of the Covenant contained in the deeds entered into between him and the Mayor, &c., for supplying this City with water, ordered, that such suits as Council shall advise be commenced against him in the name of the Mayor, &c., for the breach thereof; *It.*, that Ald. Rowland, Lawton, Mr. Browne, Izod, J. Harding, and Mr. John Lapp be a committee to prepare heads of such amendments as are necessary to be made in the several Acts of Parliament passed relative to this City, and heads of new clauses as may be found necessary for the service of this city, and that an application be made to Parliament to have same passed into law, and that every member of council that shall think proper to attend be of the said Committee; *It.*, that 40 guineas a year be paid Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., Sword Bearer.

That George Johnson, mariner, only son of Christ. Johnson, butcher, *dec.*; William Wigmore, gent., eldest son of Henry W., gent.; Rev^d^. Daniel Widenham, Clk., eldest son of Rev^d^. Tho. W., Clk.; Richard Boyle Townshend, Esq., only son of Rich^d^. T., Esq.; Charles Martin, gent., having served Rich^d^. Martin, gent.; Isaac Morgan, Merch^t^., having served Jonathan Morgan, *do.*; W^m^. Walsh, clothier, having served Edwd. Scott, *do.*, *dec.*; Jasper Rasleigh, merch^t^., having served Jonathan Morgan, *do.*; Jasper Herrick, merch^t^., having served Jasper Lucas, *do.*, be admitted free.

Ordered, that £57 10*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Timothy Hughes, ironmonger; *It.*, 2 guineas to Joseph Bullen, half year's attendance on the Mayor's office in the Exchange; *It.*, £2 12*s.* to John Jappie and Gibbs Ross, two High

Constables, costs of their staves; *It.*, £1 11*s.* 5*d.* to Gibbs Ross, expenses paid a prosecutor confined in Bridewell, evidence for a robbery, and expenses paid a corporal and eight men for their assistance in apprehending a man charged with murder.

That John Tatton, gent., having served Christ. Knight, gent., be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Webb, Roe; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

21 *Nov.*, 1777.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en^. Westropp, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb; Mr. Izod, and Morrison.

25 *Nov.*, 1777.

This day Ald. Philpott, Rowland, and Mr. Browne, being a committee to state the accounts of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses, report that they examined said accounts, and that a ballance of £245 6*s.* 6½*d.* is due from Francis Carleton, Jun., Esq., receiver of the funds of said houses; ordered, that said Carleton pay over said amount to the Chamberlain.

This day the heads of a Bill, to be applied for this session, for amending several laws made for this City were read and approved by the Council.

That William Colburn, gent., having served W^m^. Heard, gent.; Thomas Barter., jun., gent., eldest son of Thomas B., merch^t^.; John Morgan, gent., eldest son of Jonathan M., *dec.*; Thomas Millerd, jun., cordwainer, eldest son of Thos. M., *do.*; Peter Wills, jeweller, eldest son of Luke W., cooper; George Scott, merch^t^., having served Messrs. Bousfield and Owgan, be admitted freemen.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Rowland, Webb, Swete, Lawton, Baker; Mr. Browne, Izod, Busteed, C. S., and Morrison.

5 *Jan.*, 1778.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Butler, Busteed, C. S., Browne, and Morrison.

8 *Jan.*—No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Bury, Butler; Mr. Morrison, and Browne.

9 *Jan.*, 1778.

Ordered, that Mr. Snowe, Clk. of the Council, wait on the Dep. Recorder. Counᶜˢ. Bennett, Millerd, and Hartnett to draw a draft of heads of a Bill for the amendment of several acts passed relative to this City.

It., £20 9*s.* to Sampson Austen, woollen draper, clothes for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £2 10*s.* 2*d.* to Cæsar Fanning, Paper Stainer, for Paper for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £30 9*s.* 4½*d.* to Mr. Mayor for looking-glasses for Mayoralty House; *It.*, £21 13*s.* 10½*d.* to Ald. Westropp, Master of S. Stephen's Hospital, balance due to him, to be accounted for on the loan, &c.; *It.*, £16 6*s.* 8*d.* to Sampson Austen for a Gown and Cap for the Sword Bearer; *It.*, £8 7*s.* 11*d.* to said Austen, for clothes supplied for two boys bound apprentice out of S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £48 11*s.* 0½*d.* to Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, for repairing the Corporation coal barrels.

Ald. Collis having resigned his office of one of the Ald. of the Ward of this City, by instrument under his hand and seal, ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for a C. D. H. 26 Jan. to elect an Ald. of the Ward in the room of said Collis.

That the Hon. Henry Sᵗ. John, Esq., Capᵗ. of H. M. Ship Torbay, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; also Richard Rodney Bligh, Esq., Capᵗ. of H. M. Ship Camel, in a Silver Box; William Carlyon, Esq., Capᵗ. of H. M. Sloop of War Cupid, in a Silver Box; Wᵐ. Blair, Esq. Capᵗ. of H. M. Sloop of War the Wasp in a Silver Box; Michæl Kearney, Esq., regulating Capᵗ. of H. M. Navy in the Harbour of Cork in a Silver Box; and that Robᵗ. Uniacke, Esq., M.P. for Youghal; Samˡ. Sealy, gent., eldest son of John S., gent.; Edward Collis, gent., eldest son of Wᵐ. C., Esq.; Wᵐ. Honner, gent., eldest son of Robᵗ. H., Esq.; Wᵐ. Fleming, mercᵗ., eldest son of John F., cooper, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £15 be paid the Sheriffs, expenses in removing James Coughlan, a prisoner, to Dublin on a writ of H. C.; *It.*, that the Parish

of S. Peter be paid the interest due on the Corporation Bonds, until said bonds be delivered up to have new ones executed.

It., That Ald. Travers, Mr. Burgess John Harding, and Mr. Burgess Franklin be appointed scavengers for sweeping the Main Street from gate to gate.

(Note on Margin.) Rec^d^. from the Mayor, &c., the Charter of King Charles I., to be laid before the Court of Excheq., pursuant to order of s^d^. Court.—W^m^. Snowe.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en^. Westropp, Bury, Butler, Baker, Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Busteed, C. S.

19 *Jan.*, 1778.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Baker, Butler, and Mr. Busteed, C. S.

21 *Jan.*, 1778.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of Coal; *It.*, that £3 2*s.* 1½*d.* be paid Thomas Cochran, cabinet-maker, for two mahogany tables for the Mayoralty House.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., have been served with an order from the Court of Exchequer, to send up to that Court the Charter of this City, and whereas a customary fee is due to the Lord Chief Baron for the allowance of a Charter, either of a suit of Black Velvet, or 20 guineas in lieu thereof, ordered, that 20 guineas be paid.

Whereas the fines imposed in the several Courts of Assizes, Sessions, and Records held for this City, are by Charter granted to the Mayor, &c., which grant has been allowed by H. M. Court of Exchequer; and, whereas it is apprehended that all recognizances forfeited at the Assizes held for the co. of said City are also granted by said Charter to said Mayor, &c., which grant hath not yet been allowed by the said Court of Exchequer; *It.*, that Mr. Wrixon, the Corporation Attorney, do employ the Recorder, Counc. Bennett and Hartnett to move said Court of Exchequer for the allowance of forfeited recognizances, and that Mr. Wrixon give such fee as he shall see reasonable to the Attorney-General for his consent to such allowance;

It., £1 12*s.* 6*d.* to Luke Pritty, for the hire of a bed and bolster for the officers bed at the Blackpool Guard Room, for 15 weeks; *It.*, £12 17*s.* 4½*d.* to Roger Ouldin, mason, for work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Butler, Baker; Mr. Busteed, C. S., Izod, Browne, and Morrison.

30 *Jan.*, 1778.

Ordered, that the sum of £435 be paid to Mr. Mayor in addition to the Salary of £365 voted to him by the C. D. H., the whole making £800, as a testimonial for his activity and good services to this City in his office of Mayor, and an encouragement for his persevering therein; *It.*, that a subscription be opened amongst the loyal inhabitants of this City for raising soldiers for His Maj. service on the present emergency of public affairs, and that 300 guineas be paid out of the Corporation revenues, this money to be applied in bounties of 5 guineas to each able-bodied man that shall inlist, over and above the King's bounty; a committee to be appointed by the majority of the subscribers; (the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Speaker to have each a vote on part of the Corporation) for the receipt and distribution of the Bounty money. *It.*, that 10 guineas each be paid the Recorder, Dep. Recorder, Counc. Bennet, Millerd, and Hartnett, for amending the draft of Heads of a bill, and the several laws relative to this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Wetherall, Baker, Butler, Webb, Millerd, Travers; Mr. Izod and Morrison.

10 *Feb.*, 1778.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Wetherall, Baker, and Mr. Busteed, C. S.

17 *Feb.*, 1778.

Ordered, that the costs of obtaining an Act for amending the several laws relative to this City, agreeable to the heads lately perused by Counᶜʳˢ. Jenkins and Millerd, and sent to Dublin, be further perused by the Recorder, Counᶜʳˢ. Bennett and Hartnett, to be paid out of the Corporation revenues, and that Mr. Wrixon, Attorney, in Dublin, have power to draw

such sums as he shall want; *It.*, £2 7*s.* to Widow Mahony, Tavern-keeper, being the tavern expenses at her house, on the meeting of the Lawyers to peruse the Cork Act; *It.*, £127 2*s.* 1½*d.* to Mr. Burgess Fuller, for timber supplied; *It.*, £23 17*s.* 11*d.* to Mr. Kent, City overseer, for several articles supplied; *It.*, £19 13*s.* 5*d.* to Messrs. Izod and Busteed, for candles; *It.*, £23 13*s.* 8½*d.* to Thomas Hawes, tyler, for work done; *It.*, £20 3*s.* 0½*d.* to Richard Burt, glazier; *It.*, £6 18*s.* 4*d.* to said Burt, for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital, to be accounted for on the loan; *It.*, £31 15*s.* 4½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £1 7*s.* 3½*d.* to W^m. Mahony, tyler, for work done.

That John Burgess, cooper, having served William Lane, *do.*; Richard Carney, cooper, having served And^w. Hill and Roger Langley, *do.*; Thomas Roberts, Esq., eldest son of Sir Randal Roberts, Bart.; Edward Bishopp, Apothecary, having served Mr. Burgess Bennett; Henry Heard, skinner, having served Joseph Heard, *do.*, *dec.*; Robert Gordon, Esq., Surveyor-Genl. of Munster, and Henry Davis, Gent., Surveyor of the Port of Cork, be admitted Freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en. Millerd, Swete, Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Butler; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Busteed, C. S.

6 *March*, 1778.

No business for want of a sufficient number. — W^m. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en. Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Rowland, Butler; Mr. Morrison and Busteed, C. S.

10 *March*, 1778.

That Thomas Coldwell, cooper, having served Rich^d. Robinson, *do.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en. Bury, Maylor, Webb, Butler; Mr. Izod, Busteed, C. S., Morrison, and Browne.

16 *March*, 1778.

Ordered, that £4 11*s.* 8*d.* be paid John Jappie and Gibbs Ross, High Constables, so much expended by them in paying guards employed to quell

some of the late riots in this City; *It.*, 20 guineas to the Mayor, &c., to be by them expended in such manner as they shall see necessary towards the support of the Public Peace of this City from riotous mobbs.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Millerd, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Busteed, C. S.

25 *March*, 1778.

Ordered, that a representation be sent to our Members, in the name of the Mayor, &c., to desire their strenuous endeavours in Parliament for carrying into execution the bill for a National Militia; *It.*, that £14 13*s.* 4*d.* be paid the Sheriffs for removing from the City Gaol to Dublin one James Debastire, on a writ of *H. C.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Millerd, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Busteed, C. S.

1 *April*, 1778.

Ordered, that 200 musquets, 200 bayonets, 200 cartouch boxes, and 10 halberts be lent out of the City Armory to the gentlemen forming a Military Society in this City, by the name of the "True Blue Association," on a bond being passed by Edward Hoare, Esq., John Carleton, Esq., Marmaduke Peacock, Esq., Michael Roberts Westropp, Esq., and Robert Rogers, Esq., to the Mayor, &c., for £500 for the return of said arms when demanded in the same good order as lent; *It.*, that 80 Musquets, 80 Bayonets, 80 Cartouch boxes, and 4 Halberts be lent out of the City Armory to the gentlemen forming a Military Society in this City by the name of the "Aughrime Society," on a bond passed by Mr. John Hincheliff, Mr. Barth. Creagh, Mr. Wᵐ. Barry, Mr. Francis Rawlins to the Mayor, &c., for £200 for the return of said arms in the same good order; *It.*, that 100 Musquets, 100 Bayonets, 100 Cartouch boxes, and 5 Halberts be lent out of the City Armory to the Gentlemen forming a Military Society in this City by the name of the "Union Society," on a Bond passed by Wᵐ. Hare, Esq., Mr. Thos. Hayes, Mr. Watkins, William Verling, and Mr. James Sadleir to the Mayor, &c., for £250 for the return of said arms in same good order; *It.*, that 50 Musquets,

50 bayonets, 50 Cartouch boxes, and 4 Halberts be lent out of the City Armoury to the Gentlemen of the "Revenue" of this City on a Bond passed by Robert Gordon and Henry Davis, Esq., for £125 to the Mayor, &c., for the return of said arms in same good order; *It.*, 40 musquets, 40 bayonets, 40 Cartouch boxes, and 2 Halberts be lent out of the City Armory to the Gentlemen forming a Military Society at "Passage," on a Bond passed by Thos. Parsons and Michæl Parker, Esq^{rs}., for £100 to the Mayor, &c., to return said arms in said good order.

That George Ogle, Esq., M.P. for Co. Wexford, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, and Rev^{d}. Rich^{d}. Pigott, D.D., a freeman at large.

That 100 musquets, 100 bayonets, and 100 Cartouch boxes be lent out of the City Armory to the Gentlemen forming a Military Society in this City by the name of the "Cork Blues," on a Bond passed by Mr. Mayor, Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., and Mr. John Jappie to the Mayor, &c., for £250 for return of said arms in said good order.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^{en}. Millerd, Bury, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Butler, Travers; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Izod.

2 May.—No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^{m}. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^{en}. Bury, Wetherall, Webb, and Mr. Browne.

5 *May*, 1778.

That Major Genl. Flower Mocker, Esq., Com^{r}. in Chief for the Province of Munster, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Ordered, that 50 Musquets, 50 bayonets, and 50 Cartouch boxes be lent out of the City Armory to the gentlemen of the "Blackpool Association," on a bond passed by Mr. Andrew Johnson and Mr. John Forster for £125 to the Mayor, &c., for the return of said arms in same good order; *It.*, £300 towards defraying the expenses of an act for regulating the Police of this City. *It.*, 3*s.* 6*d.* a week for the support of Ann Green now confined in the Bridewell, to prosecute two fellows now confined in the City Gaol for rapes and robberys.

That George Welsh, cooper, having served Patrick Welsh and Richard Curcy, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en^. Bury, Webb, Travers; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Busteed, C. S.

13 May.—No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en^. Swete, Bury, Webb, Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Morrison.

26 *May*, 1778.

Ordered, that the 25 shares reserved by the Corporation in the scheme for supplying the City with water be demised by public Cant to Freemen at large for 999 years at a premium for each share, the highest bidder being the tenant, the money to be applied to the discharge of the Corporation debts, the purchaser to have to 1 Aug., 1799 for the payment of said purchase money with legal interest, on giving security by bond, and that Mr. Burgess Izod, Morrison and Henry Wrixon, with those of C. D. H., be a committee for approving the securities, &c.; *It.*, that 50 Musquets, 50 bayonets, and 50 Cartouch boxes be lent out of the City Armory to the gentlemen forming a military society at "Blarney," on a bond passed by Walter Travers and James S^t^. John Jefferies, Esq., for £125 to the Mayor, &c., for the return of said arms in same good order; *It.*, that 60 Musquets, 60 Bayonets, and 60 Cartouch boxes be lent out of the City Armoury to the Gentlemen forming a Military Society in this City by the name of the "Iniskillin Society," on a bond passed by Joshua Connor, merch^t^., and John Roe, Clothier, for £150 to the Mayor, &c., for the safe return of said arms, &c.; *It.*, that 60 Musquets, 60 Bayonets, 60 Cartouch boxes be lent out of the City Armory to the Gentlemen forming a Military Society at "Cove," on a bond passed by W^m^. Dickson and W^m^. Chadwick, Esq^rs^., for £150 to the Mayor for the safe return of said arms.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en^. Westropp, Swete, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Rowland; Mr. Denroch, Izod, and Morrison.

10 June.—No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Lawton; Mr. Browne, and Busteed, C. S.

27 June.—No business, for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Alden. Bury and Wetherall.

30 *June*, 1778.

Ordered, that £49 2*s*. 5*d*. be paid the overseers for building the Guard House in Tuckey Street, for building a parapet and fixing a lead gutter to the North front of the Guard House, pursuant to estimate; *It.*, £12 1*s*. to Mr. Mayor, amount of a bill drawn on him by Mr. Wm. Maturin for Newspapers; *It.*, £5 1*s*. 6*d*. to Edmond Flaherty, Mason, for work done; *It.*, £21 18*s*. 9*d*. to John Jappie, cooper, for coal barrels; *It.*, £26 18*s*. 1*d*. to Wm. Reynolds, Silvermith, for work done; *It.*, £12 13*s*. 6*d*. to Thomas Saunders Knox, printer, for work done; *It.*, 2 guineas to Eliz. Ogilby, for half year's attendance at the Mayor's office in the Exchange; *It.*, 20*s*. to James Withers for 10 twist posts for the rails of the Exchange; *It.*, £10 to James Magrath, Clerk of Christ Church, for instructing the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing for one year; *It.*, £8 10*s*. to the Sheriffs, expenses in removing one John Curtin from the City Gaol to Dublin on a writ of H. C.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Alden. Webb; Mr. Morrison, and Busteed, C. S.

10 July.—No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Snowe, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Alden. Westropp, Bury, Wetherall, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Pick, C. S.

15 *July*, 1778.

This day the Common Speaker was sworn in Council.

Ordered, that 20 guineas be paid Mr. Mayor for an Entertainment at Blackrock Castle; *It.*, that Mr. Kent get the holes in the Main Street, the North and South Bridges, and in the passages from the Bridges under the Gateways filled up and paved, also the pavement in the Bridewell; *It.*, that £66 12*s*. 6*d*. be paid Wm. Snowe, Esq., in full for the Bill of Costs.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Alden. Westropp, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Webb; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Vesian Pick, C. S.

21 *July*, 1778.

It is the opinion of this Board that Mr. Mayor do write a letter to Mr. Secretary Heron to inform him that this City is left without any of H. M. forces, and that it will be necessary to have forces immediately for the protection and peace of this City; *It.*, that Mr. Mayor do employ proper persons to watch and guard the powder Magazine and the Armoury, until some of H. M. forces come to Garrison this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en^. Westropp, Bury, Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Pick, C. S.

7 Aug.—No business for want of a sufficient number. — W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en^. Westropp, Bury, Baker, Webb, Travers; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Pick, C. S.

8 *Aug.*, 1778.

We do appoint John Digby, merch^t^.; Edward Jameson, *do.;* Patrick Commerford, *do.;* Thomas Kift, Linen draper; and George Seymour, pewterer, of the Par. of Holy Trinity: Francis Tydd, gent.; John Hinchliff, Linen draper; Attiwell Hayes, brewer; John Newsom, Woollen draper; William Garrat, Chocolate maker, of the Par. of S. Peter: George Newsom, merch^t^.; Joseph Harman, Woollen draper; Martin French, merch^t^.; James Smith, grocer; and John Shea, merch^t^., of the Par. of S. Mary Shandon: Willm. Bleasby, Chandler; Abraham Steers, Chandler; James Johnson, Clothier; Richard Exham, Timber merchant; and John Davies, Clothier, of the Par. of S. Ann: Saml. Lane, brewer; George Patten, of Bellville, South Liberties, gent.; John Lindsay, gent.; Thomas Williams, of Ashgrove, South Liberties, gent.; W^m^. Harris, Glasheen, in South Liberties, gent., of Par. of S. Finbarry: Will. Fitton, brewer; Will. Clark, merch^t^.; John King, *do.;* John Furze, Chandler; and James Abell, merch^t^., of the Par. of S. Nicholas; Rich. Perry, merch^t^.; Julius Besnard, Sail-cloth maker; James Willis, merch^t^.; Thomas Osborne, brewer; and Arthur Connell, merch^t^., of the Par. of S. Paul, Valuators under the Act for the Regulation of the City of Cork, &c., and the better regulating the police of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Bury, Wetherall, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Pick, C. S.

8 *Aug.*, 1778.

Ordered, that the following advertisement be inserted in the public papers, and that a copy be sent to each of the Ministers and Church Wardens of this City, *viz.*, "The Mayor, &c., recommend to the Ministers, and C. W., and Parishioners of each of the Parishes to meet in Vestry and determine on the manner of erecting and maintaining Public Lights in each Parish; and agree with persons to maintain same, either for one, two, or three years, agreeable to Act of Parliament, and the Mayor, &c., give notice that they will appoint such persons to be Lamp Contractors in each of said Parishes, &c.; *It.*, that 80 musquets, 80 Bayonets, 80 Cartouch boxes, be lent out of the City Armoury to Capᵗ. Dalrymple, Commandant of the loyal Irish Corps, to train a number of recruits belonging to said Corps now quartered in said City, a Bond being given by Capᵗˢ. Dalrymple and Hart to the Mayor, &c., for £200 to return said arms in good order; *It.*, £10 14*s.* 5½*d.* to Mr. Mayor, rates for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £2 1*s.* 3½*d.* to Samˡ. Brookes, Exchange Porter, for brooms, sand, &c.; *It.*, that the Cupola Clock of the Exchange be put in order by Samˡ. Upington, clock maker, and that he be paid £6 16*s.* 6*d.* for said work pursuant to estimate; *It.*, that Mr. Snowe cause extracts of the last Act of Parliament to be published in the News papers of this City, also in separate papers, and posted up that the inhabitants may be informed of the penal parts of said act; *It.*, £1 12*s.* 6*d.* to John Sullivan, gent., one of the Coroners, his expenses, &c., in going to Cove by direction of the Mayor, to hold an inquest there on a man that was killed.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Pick, C. S.

19 *Aug.*, 1778.

We do appoint Francis Harvey, mercht., John Church, *do.*, Thomas Kift, Linen-draper, George Seymour, pewterer, Charles McCarthy, House Carpenter, of the Par. of Holy Trinity; Reuben Harvey, mercht., John Hinchliff, shopkeeper, John Donoghue, Woollen-draper, John Newsom, *do.*, Robert Foresayth, gent., of the Par. of S. Peter; Joseph Harman,

woollen-draper, James Smith, grocer, John Shea, mercht., Richard Moore, grocer, John Moylan, jun., of Kyrles Quay, mercht., of Par. of S. Mary Shandon; Richard Exham, timber mercht., John Forster, mercht., John Guinan, tanner, Edward Hatton, clothier, Robert Stokes, mercht., of the Par. of St. Anne; George Reed, of Ballintemple, gent.; James Doyle, of Lehenagh, farmer; Rich^d. Sheppard, of Duffclowan, gent., Anthony Hawksworth, of S. Finbarry, house carpenter, and John Wynne, Tanner, of the Par. of S. Finbarry; Thomas Hayes, jun., mercht., Thomas Allen, gent., Joshua Connor, clothier, Andrew Drinane, grocer, Saml. Hobbs, house carpenter, of the Par. of S. Nicholas; James Bonwell, mercht., David Connell, *do.*, Arthur Connell, *do.*, James Willis, *do.*, and William Kearns, house carpenter, of the Par. of S. Paul, Valuators under the Act for the regulation of this City of Cork, &c., and the better regulating the Police, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Roe, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, and Morrison, and Pick, C. S.

25 Aug. No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lane; Ald^en. Westropp, Webb; Mr. Browne, and Morrison.

27 *Aug.*, 1778.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other tolls of the City be set, &c. (terms as before). *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Water-bailiff for one year, and that his salary be £60 with the usual duties, &c. *It.*, that the Rev^d. Dr. Robt. Austin, Mr. Thos. Fuller, Burgess, Mr. Jasper Lucas, *do.*, Mr. Attiwell Hayes, brewer, Mr. W^m. Clarke, mercht., Mr. William Willcocks, burgess, Mr. Peter Cossart, *do.*, be appointed trustees for carrying into execution the Act for supplying this City with water, in the room of Adam Newman, Esq., Randall Westropp, Esq., Francis Carleton, Sen., Esq., Hugh Lawton, Sen., Esq., Mr. John Latham, mercht., Mr. James Morrison, burgess, and W^m. Snowe, Esq. *It.*, that Mr. Kent, City Overseer, buy 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, that £34 2*s.* 2*d.* be paid Phineas Bagnell, Printer, for work done; *It.*, that Ald^en. Bury, Wrixon, Maylor,

Webb, and Mr. Pick, C. S., be a committee to examine all accounts of persons claiming money from the Corporation, and report, &c.

That George Fuller, mercht., having served Mr. Burgess Fuller; Gilbert Mellefont, Esq., eldest son of David M., Esq.; Thomas Herbert, Esq., eldest son of Edwd. H., Esq.; Thomas Kempster, mercht., having served Richard Fuller, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en. Westropp, Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler; Mr. Browne, Denroch, Izod, Morrison, Harding, and V. Pick, C. S.

1 *Sep.*, 1778.

Ordered, that £3 1*s.* 2*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, balance due for last entertainment at Blackrock Castle.

The order of this board of 27 Aug., appointing Dr. Austen, Mr. Fuller, Lucas, Hayes, Clark, Willcocks, and Cossart, trustees for supplying the City with water, in lieu of Ald. Newman and Westropp, F. Carleton, sen., H. Lawton, sen., Mr. Latham, Morrison, and Snowe, on a supposition that the last-named gentlemen could not attend said business, and this board being of opinion that increasing the number of the committee will be of more service to the water scheme; ordered, that the first-named gentlemen be added to the Committee for supplying this City with water. *It.*, that the Lamps, Lamp Posts, and Lamp Irons be sold to such of the Parishes as shall choose to buy the same; and that Ald. Millerd, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to agree for the sale of same, and receive from Mr. Joseph Harris said Lamps, Lamp Posts, and Lamp Irons, &c.

That John Harrison, Esq., Collector of Ennis, at the request of Mr. Mayor, Mr. John Garde, Woollen draper; Mr. W^m. Knight, gent.; Mr. George Aickin, watchmaker; Mr. John Robinson, mercht.; Peter Dumas, Esq.; James Connor, Esq.; Mr. W^m. Harrington, mercht., and Patrick Blair, Esq., Doctor of Physic, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en. Westropp, Millerd, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Butler, Lawton, Webb, Travers; Mr. Denroch, Izod, Morrison, and Pick, C. S.

22 *Sep.*, 1778.

In pursuance of an Act for the regulation of the City of Cork, &c., We,

the Mayor, &c., do fix 220 globe lamps to be erected in the parish of the Holy Trinity; that Mr. George Seymour shall supply said lamps at 11s. 4½*d.* each, and replace any that shall be broken before 25 March, at 6s. 6*d.* each lamp; that Mr. Timothy Hughes shall provide the iron-work for said lamps, at 4*d.* a pound; that Mr. Gibbs Ross and Mr. Hamilton Crawford shall provide such posts as shall be wanting; and we fix that said lamps be lighted from 29 Sep. to 25 March, with single burners, the hours of lighting to be from 29 Sep. to 1 Nov. from 5 P.M. to 6 A.M., from 1 Nov. to 1 Feb. from 4 P.M. to 7 A.M., and from 1 Feb. till 25 March from 5 P. M. to 6 A.M.; and that Richd. Fuller, mercht., Henry Holmes, *do.*, and John Greatrakes, pewterer, be lamp contractors for cleansing, trimming and lighting, &c. said lamps, at the rate of 20s. for each lamp, said Fuller, Holmes, and Greatrakes to replace any of the globes that be broken at his own expense, and that they execute a bond to the Mayor, &c., for £500 for executing said office; and we fix, that 60 globe lamps be erected in the Par. of S. Paul, and that Mr. George Seymour and Mr. Sam. Wright provide said lamps properly covered of 11½ inches diameter, and keep same in repair from 29 Sep. inst. to 25 March, and deliver up said globes and irons in thorough repair to the Church Wardens, and that said Seymour and Wright be paid £40 for same; that Mr. Wm. Stephens and Mr. Charles Lamb provide 60 globe irons for said Lamps, at 3*d.* per pound (hours of lighting as above), and that said 60 lamps be lighted with Turkey cotton Wick yarn of eight threads, and said Stephens and Lamb be contractors for lighting, &c., said lamps in the Par. of S. Paul, at the rate of £1 6s. for each lamp, and that they execute a bond to the Mayor, &c., for £500, for executing said office; and we appoint Ald. Hugh Lawton, George Goold, Esq., James Bonwell, Esq., Adam Newman, Esq., Mr. John Jappie, Mr. Wm. Kearns, Mr. Tho. Osburn, Mr. John Logan, Mr. John Walsh, Mr. Michæl Mahony, Mr. Edward Sweeny, Mr. Wm. Phipps, Mr. James Willis, and Mr. James Ellis a Committee to regulate, &c., said lamps.

That Sackville Hamilton, Esq., be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Aldcn. Westropp, Millerd, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Butler; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Pick, C. S.

26 *Sep.*, 1778.

Pursuant to an Act for the regulation of the City of Cork, we, the Mayor,

&c., do fix that 100 square lamps be erected in the Par. of S. Nicholas, (lighting as above, 22 inst.), and we appoint Richard Fuller, Grocer, to be lamp-contractor for lighting, &c. said lamps, and that he be paid 5*s.* 7*d.* for providing each lamp with a burner and lamp iron, and at the rate of 18*s.* for lighting, &c., each lamp, and that he execute a bond to the Mayor, &c., for £500 for executing said office; and we fix 155 square lamps for the Par. of S. Peter (lighting as above, 22 inst.), and we appoint Henry Holmes, grocer, to be lamp-contractor for lighting, &c., 155 lamps, to be paid 5*s.* 7*d.* for providing each lamp with a burner and a lamp iron, and at the rate of 18*s.* for lighting, &c., each lamp, and that he execute a bond to the Mayor for £500 for executing said office.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Lane; Ald^en^. Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Butler; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

Palms Westropp, Esq., Mayor.

21 *Oct.*, 1778.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs were sworn of the Common Council.

That Henry Arthur Herbert, Esq., eldest son of Thomas H., Esq., be admitted a freeman at large.

Hugh Millerd, Esq., having resigned office of one of the Aldermen of the Ward, ordered, that a posting be put upon the Exchange for a C. D. H., to elect an Ald. of the Ward in the room of said Millerd. *It.*, 10 guineas to Mr. Snowe, Clk. of Council, for supplying this board for ten years with pens, ink, and paper. *It.*, that Ald. Bury, Wrixon, and Mr. Browne be a committee to state the accounts of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Charities.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers; Mr. Browne and Pick, C. S.

27 Oct. No business for want of a sufficient number.—W. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Purcell; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Owgan, and Mr. Izod.

31 *Oct.*, 1778.

Ordered, that a promissory note passed by Bayly Breton and John

Knight, gent., to the late Sheriffs, for £40, the amount of two fines imposed on them at last Spring Assizes, and which belong to the Corporation, be delivered up by the late Sheriffs to said Breton and Knight; *It.*, £40 to John Jappie and Gibbs Ross, High Constables of this City, a recompense for their activity in bringing to justice divers Felons, Rioters, and disturbers of the public peace of this City; *It.*, that no money for the future be paid out of the Revenues of the Corporation to the High Constables, as the Grand Jury are empowered by the late Act to present a reasonable sum of money at each Assizes for the trouble of said High Constables; *It.*, that the stalls, No. 1, 2, 6, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16, 18, 20, 21, 26, 27, 30, 33, and the Gate and Post at the right side of the entrance on the East end in the English Shambles, be set by public cant to Protestant butchers, for 7 years, at a weekly rent, no butcher to have more than one stall, and that Stalls 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, in the back Shambles be set for seven years at a weekly rent, &c., the person taking each stall to give two persons security by bond for the payment of the rent, to be approved by the Mayor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Purcell; Aldᵉⁿ. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Hen. Harding, and Pick, C. S.

4 Nov. No business for want of a sufficient number. — W. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Purcell; Aldᵉⁿ. Westropp, Maylor, and Rowland.

6 *Nov.*, 1778.

Whereas the Lamp Contractors appointed by order 22 Sep. last, for erecting, &c., the Lamps in the Par. of the Holy Trinity, have not been able to erect said Lamps on 29 Sep., pursuant to said order, resolved, that said order, as it relates to said Par. of Holy Trinity, be rescinded; and we fix 220 Globe lamps to be erected in said parish, and that Mr. Geo. Seymour shall supply said Lamps at 11*s.* 4½*d.* for each Lamp, and that each lamp be properly covered and be 11½ inches in diameter, the price of said Lamps amounting in the whole to £125 0*s.* 6*d.*, said Seymour to provide new globes in the room of such as shall happen to be broken between 9 Nov. inst. and 25 March next, at 6*s.* 6*d.* for each globe; that Mr. Timothy Hughes provide lamp irons for said 220 lamps, at 4 pence by the pound,

amounting to £43 8*s.* 3*d.*, and that 50 posts for as many lamps be provided by Messrs. Gibbs Ross and Hamilton Crawford, for which they be paid £10 14*s.* 6*d.*; and we fix that said 220 lamps shall be lighted in said parish with single burners with good oil and Turkey cotton wick yarn of 8 threads, (hours of lighting as before); and we appoint Richard Fuller, grocer, Henry Holmes, *do.*, and John Greatrakes, pewterer, lamp contractors for lighting, &c., said lamps, at the rate of 15*s.* 2*d.* for each lamp, amounting in the whole to £166 16*s.* 8*d.*; and we appoint the Rev^d^. Rich^d^. Pigott, D.D., Rev^d^. Henry Sandiford, Rev^d^. George Mansell, Mr. Henry Sadlier, Mr. Peter Egan, Mr. Pat^k^. Commerford, Mr. James Mahon, Mr. James French, Thomas Chatterton, Esq., Mr. Vezian Pick, Mr. James Gregg, Mr. Gibbs Ross, Mr. John Bass, jun., Mr. Michael Busteed, Mr. James Sadlier, Mr. Chas. McCarthy, John Herbert Orpin, Esq., Mr. John Howell, Mr. John Wigmore, and Mr. Philip Stubbman, a committee to regulate the lighting, &c., of said lamps; said Contractors at the expiration of their contract to deliver up said lamps and irons in thorough repair.

Ordered, that 40 musquets, 40 bayonets, and 40 Cartouch Boxes, be lent out of the City Armoury, to the gentlemen forming a Military Society at "Curryglas," in the co. Cork, on a bond passed by Peard Harrison Peard, Esq., and another sufficient security, to the Mayor, &c., for £100, to return said arms in same good order; *It.*, that 30 musquets, 30 bayonets, 30 Cartouch Boxes be lent out of the City Armoury to the gentlemen forming a military society at Castlelyons, co. Cork, on a bond passed by Henry Peard and John Mason, of Castlelyons, Esq., to the Mayor, &c., for £100 to return said arms in same good order.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Purcell; Ald^en^. Maylor, Baker, Rowland, Owgan, and Pick, C. S.

20 *Nov.*, 1778.

This day Ald. Bury, and Wrixon, and Mr. Browne, appointed to examine the accounts of Bretridge's and Skiddy's Alms Houses, reported that a balance of £119 4*s.* 10*d.* remains in the hands of the receiver for said Hospitals, which he is ordered to pay over to the Chamberlain; *It.*, that the thanks of the Mayor, &c., be given to the several armed Societies of this City, for their attention in assembling during the absence of H. M. troops from this City at encampment, and doing everything necessary to preserve

the peace, &c., and that this resolution be published in the Cork Papers; *It.*, that an annuity of 30 guineas be paid to Mr. Edmund Roche Kinselagh, instead of 10 guineas as formerly, who has acted for many years, and now acts, as Mayor's clerk; *It.*, that £32 7*s.* 2*d.* be paid Ald. Westropp, Master of S. Stephen's Hospital, balance due.

That Philip Stephens, Esq., Sec. to the Lords of the Admiralty, be presented with his freedom, to be forwarded by the President of the Committee of Merchants.

That an abatement of 6*s.* a week be made to Mary Conn, out of the weekly rent of 12*s.* by her bid for Stall No. 20 in the English Shambles, it appearing she could not pay said rent.

That the Rt. Worshipful Warden Flood, Esq., Judge of H. M. High Court of Admiralty of this Kingdom, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Alden. Westropp, Millerd, Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Roe, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, Harding and Pick, C. S.

1 *Dec.*, 1778.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Ald. Wrixon.

4 *Dec.*, 1778.

Whereas it is found necessary to carry on a suit at common law, in the name of the Mayor, &c., against Nicholas Fitton, for a breach of his contract for supplying this City with water, and whereas said Nicholas Fitton hath filed a bill in H. M. Court of Exchequer against the Mayor, &c., to prevent his being sued for such breach, ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for a C. D. H., to be held at the Guildhall on 14 Dec., to appoint managers pursuant to the Bye-Laws, as well for carrying on said suit as to defend that commenced by Fitton; *It.*, It appears that Mary Collins, widow, hath a claim to Stall No. 1 in the English flesh shambles for a term of five years and one month from 6 Dec. inst., under the rent of 14*d.* per week, and whereas said stall, by orders of Council and C. D. H.

hath been set by public cant to John Osborne, butcher, for a term of 7 years from 21 Nov. last, at a rent of 5*s.* 11½*d.* a week; ordered, that said Mary Collins, her executor, &c., shall receive from said Osborne out of his rent of said stall 4*s.* 9½*d.* a week for five years and one month from 6 Dec. inst., and that said Osborne shall only pay the Corporation during said term 14 pence weekly, and afterwards 5*s.* 11½*d.* for the residue of 7 years.

That the Rev. Thomas Westropp, Clk., being eldest son of the Mayor, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Purcell; Ald^en^. Maylor, Rowland; Mr. Izod, and Pick, C. S.

16 *Dec.*, 1778.

Ordered, that £25 13*s.* 8*d.* be paid Messrs. Izod and Busteed for candles; *It.*, £36 7*s.* 4½*d.* to Messrs. Morrison and Fuller, for timber supplied; *It.* £2 13*s.* 0½*d.* to Richard Burt, plumber, &c., work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £43 17*s.* 8*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £30 0*s.* 3½*d.* to Messrs. Bagnell and Co., for printing work; *It.*, £4 to Thomas Cochran, cabinet-maker, for two pier tables for Mayoralty House.

That Edward Green of Youghal, mercht., eldest son of Roger G., *do.;* John Robert Parker, of Youghal; Jeffery O'Donnoghue, Esq., Counc. at Law; William Fitton, brewer, having served Will. Fitton, one of the Burgesses of this City; John Shaw, mercht. and Woollen Draper, having served Thomas Markham, mercht.; John Salter, Jun., mercht., having served Stephen and Charles Denroche, merch^ts.^; Thomas Coleman, gent., having served W^m^. Snowe, Esq., Town Clerk; Augustus Warren, Esq., eldest son of Robt. W., Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that 50 musquets, 50 bayonets, and 50 cartouch boxes be lent out of the City Armoury to the gentlemen forming the Military Society of the Baronies of "Kinnalea and Kierrecurrihy," co. Cork, on a bond passed by Thomas Roberts, of Britfields-Town, Esq., and Ald. Westropp, to the Mayor, for £150, to return said arms in same good order; *It.*, that £39 12*s.* 11*d.* be paid George Seymour, pewterer and brazier, in full for his account. *It.*, Whereas Francis Rogers, tennant by lease to a house on the South side of the entrance into the Fowl Market, is become insolvent, ordered, that a surrender of said lease be taken, and said house be set by public cant to the highest bidder.

Present—Mr. Mayor Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en^. Westropp, Millerd, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Pick, C. S.

9 *Feb.*, 1779.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent, City overseer, buy 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, that £6 6*s.* be paid Mr. W^m^. Maturin, for newspapers; *It.*, that £25 5*s.* 7½*d.* be paid the Sheriffs, expenses of providing three sentinels to take care of the City gaol in the absence of the army, and removing six prisoners on a suit of *H. C.* Resolved, that this Board will not for the future make any order for payment of money for the removal of prisoners from the City Gaol to Dublin, on writs of *H. C.* *It.*, that Ald. Travers, Mr. John Harding and Mr. John Franklin, burgesses, be appointed scavengers during the pleasure of this board, to sweep the Main Street from North to South Gate, the North and South Bridge, in manner following, to wit, to be swept one day and the dung, &c., carried away the day following, and that the Scavengers shall forfeit 10*s.* English for any day they shall omit to have said streets and bridges swept, also a similar penalty for neglecting to carry away the dung, &c.; also a like penalty shall be paid by any person who shall interrupt said Scavengers, or shall carry away any of the dung.

That Thomas Moore, Esq., son of Henry M., mercht., *dec.*; James Gray Ruddock, gent., second son of Francis G., Esq.; Aylmer Allen, brewer; Thomas Oliver, gent., Clerk to the Collector of the Port of Cork; Bartholomew O'Donnoghue, mercht., having served John Coughlan, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that Hugh Millerd, Jun., Esq., be appointed Scavenger to sweep the street from South Gate Bridge to the Weigh-house in Bandon Road, and from thence to Gallows Green lane, and from South Bridge to the East end of Blackmoore lane, and to the turn to Cove lane, under the penalties as above. It appearing to this Board that Eliz. Walsh, widow, who holds Stall N°. 27 in the English Shambles, and which was taken by her late husband at the weekly rent of 6*s.* 6*d.*, is in poor and indigent circumstances, ordered, that said Elizabeth shall have an abatement of 3*s.* 3*d.* of said rent. *It.*, that a salary of 20 guineas be paid to Mr. John Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en^. Westropp, Bury,

Wetherall, Franklin, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Pick, C.S.

19 *Feb.*, 1779.

Ordered, that £400 be paid Mr. Mayor, in addition to the Salary of £400 voted by the C. D. H., making in the whole £800; *It.*, that £12 8*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mr. Burgess Westropp and Mr. Burgess Denroche, costs of setting aside an attachment against them in the Court of K. B., as Sheriffs of this City, relative to Green wax processes that came to their hands against former Sheriffs of this City; *It.*, that Ald. Bury and Mr. Burgess Morrison be a committee to inspect the premises opposite the Corn Market, and report how same can be set to advantage.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Alden. Westropp, Bury, Wrixon, Baker, Roe, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Webb, Wetherall; Mr. Izod, Morrison, Harding, and Pick, C. S.

12 *March*, 1779.

That the Revd. Christr. Harvey, LL.D.; James Goddart Butler, Esq., son of John B., Esq., and Philip Cross, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Alden. Bury, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Pick, C. S.

11 *May*, 1779.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Alden. Millerd, Wrixon, Webb; Mr. Browne.

14 *May*, 1779.

No business as neither of the Sheriffs attended.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Alden. Millerd, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Owgan; Mr. Browne.

2 *June*, 1779.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en^. Wrixon; Mr. Browne.

9 *June*, 1779.

Ordered, that the statue of Hugh Trayer Lawton, Esq., late Mayor of this City, be erected in a nitch in the Exchange opposite to the North Entrance. The expenses to be paid by the Committee of the citizens who have undertaken the erecting this statue; *It.*, that 25 musquets, 25 Bayonets, and 25 Cartouch boxes be lent out of the City Armoury to Adam Newman, Esq., who is forming a Military Society at Newberry, Co. Cork, called the "Loyal Newberry Society of Musqueteers," said Newman passing his bond for £50 to the Mayor, &c., for the return of said arms in good order; *It.*, that a Bond passed to the Minister and C. W. of the Parish of Christ Church for £100 with interest be paid off, a receipt being given on the back of the bond; *It.*, that the thanks of this Board be given to the several armed societies of this City for their spirited conduct last Friday, having continued all day under arms, on a report being spread that a body of French Forces landed in Bantry Bay—by such conduct the peace of this City was preserved during the absence of H. M. forces; *It.*, that £42 17*s.* 9*d.* be paid Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, for work done; *It.*, £27 16s. 9*d.* to Thomas Hawes, Tyler and Slater, for work done; *It.*, £26 14*s.* 2½*d.* to Richard Burt, glasier, for work done; *It.*, £10 15*s.* 9*d.* to W^m^. Reynolds, silversmith, work done; *It.*, £16 0*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. Sampson Austen, Woollen draper, for clothes for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £30 1*s.* 8*d.* to said Austen for clothes for the Blue Boys bound out of S. Stephen's Hospital from 3 April, 1778, to 25 Feb., 1779, to be charged on the loan, &c.; *It.*, £27 15*s.* 9*d.* to the Committee for building the Guard House in Tuckey Street, the same to be expended on some additional works for said Guard House; *It.*, that £2 5*s.* 6*d.* be paid Eliz. Oglesby, half year's attendance on the Mayor's Office in the Exchange; *It.*, £1 19*s.* 6½*d.* to Mrs. Mary Edwards, stationer; *It.*, £5 to James Magrath, half year's salary for instructing the Blue Boys to sing; *It.*, that the outside of the Cupola, frames, sashes, &c., of the Mayoralty be painted, and that Mr. Mayor and Ald. Owgan oversee same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en^. Newman, Millerd, Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Pick, C. S.

11 *June*, 1779.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en^. Wrixon, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Owgan, and Mr. Izod.

18 *June*, 1779.

Ordered, that 30 Musquets, 30 Bayonets, 30 Cartouch Boxes be lent out of the City Armoury to James Devonsher, Esq., for the use of a "Military Society at Mallow," said Devonsher, &c., passing his bond to the Mayor, &c., for £75 to return said arms in good order; *It.*, that 30 Musquets, 30 Bayonets, and 30 Cartouch Boxes be lent out of the City Armoury to Mr. Andrew Johnson for the use of a "New Military Company at Blackpool," said Johnson with another passing their bond to the Mayor, &c., for £75 to return said arms in good order.

That Edmond Roche, of Kildinane, Co. Cork, Esq., at the request of the Mayor; Thomas Dorman, merch^t.^, having served Messrs. Stephen and Charles Denroch, *do.*; Ferdinand Spiller, cooper, having served W^m^. Lane; Bennett Jagoe, brewer, having served Mr. Burgess Fitton; George Bland, Esq.; Benj. White, gent.; Robert Stevelly, jun., gent.; Edmond Regan, gent.; Thomas Studdart, gent.; Rev^d^. W^m^. Hales, Clk., F.T.C.D.; Andrew Franklin, gent.; Richard Foot, Esq.; James Uniacke, Esq.; John Hely Hutchinson, jun., Esq.; Mathew Church, merch^t.^; Nicholas Dunscombe, Esq.; Rev^d^. John Pick, jun.; and Benjamin Hayes, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en^. Millerd, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Butler, Owgan, Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Pick, C. S.

28 *July*, 1779.

This day James Kingston, Esq., C. S., was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council, and Walter Travers, Esq., was sworn of the Common Council.

Ordered, that the Mayor be paid 20 guineas for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle 1 Aug.; *It.*, that £20 be paid Penial Westropp, widow of Ald. Westropp, *dec.*; *It.*, that 25 Musquets and 25 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to Adam Newman, Esq., said Newman passing a Bond

for £50 to the Mayor, &c., for the return of said arms in good order; *It.*, that 30 Musquets and 30 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to Sir James Lawrence Cotter, Bart., he passing his Bond to the Mayor for £75 for the safe return of said arms; *It.*, that 30 Musquets and 30 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to John Hyde, Esq., he passing his bond to the Mayor, &c., £75, for the safe return of said arms; *It.*, that 20 musquets and 20 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to Robt. Hutchinson, Esq., he passing his bond to the Mayor for £50 to return said arms in good order; *It.*, that 60 Musquets and 60 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to Robt. Hatfield, Esq., he passing his bond to the Mayor, &c., for £150 for the safe return of said arms; *It.*, that 30 Musquets and 30 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to Edward Roche, Esq., he passing his bond to the Mayor, &c., £25, for the safe return of said arms; *It.*, that 80 Musquets and 80 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to Robt. Uniack Fitz Gerald, Esq., he passing his bond to the Mayor, &c., £200, for the safe return of said arms; *It.*, that 24 Musquets and 24 Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to Hon^l. Hayes St. Leger, he passing his bond to the Mayor, &c., for £60 for the safe return of said arms.

This day Mr. John Snowe was sworn Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Ald^en. Millerd, Wrixon, Maylor, Swete, Newman, Wetherall, Franklin, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, Travers, and Kingston, C. S.

14 *Aug.*, 1779.

Ordered, that William Wily shall have liberty to arch six feet over the passage at the East end of his house, and which passage leads under Bachelor's Quay to the River Lee near the South West arch of the North Bridge, and said Wily shall have liberty to build on such part when arched, he erecting a public bog-house, and fixing steps down said passage to the River, pursuant to the plan, paying yearly 5*s.*, and that leases be signed for 99 years.

It., that £1 19*s.* be paid John Bass, John Cuthbert, and John Gray for 12 nights watching the City arms.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Purcell; Ald^en. Millerd, Philpott, Bury, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Morrison.

25 *Aug.*, 1779.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Snowe, D. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Purcell; Alden. Bury, Maylor, Rowland, Owgan, and Mr. Browne.

3 *Sep.*, 1779.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other tolls be set by public cant (terms as before); *It.*, that a posting be put upon the Exchange for electing a Water Bailiff for one year, and that a salary of £60 be paid him (subject to the usual conditions); *It.*, £3 14*s.* 1*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor for Pipe Water, Hearth Money, &c., for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £6 to Mr. John Foster and Mr. Andrew Johnson for paving, piling, and building a wall at the North end of the Guard House at Blackpool pursuant to estimate.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lawton and Purcell; Alden. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Rowland, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

John Harding, Esq., Mayor.

22 *Oct.*, 1779.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs were sworn Common Council Men.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of Coal; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing an Alderman of the Ward in the room of Randal Westropp, Esq., *dec.*; *It.*, that a set of Brass standard weights be purchased in Dublin for the use of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Alden. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Morrison, and Izod.

12 *Nov.*, 1779.

Ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for a C. D. H. for the election of an Alderman of the Ward in the room of Ald. Roe, *dec.*; *It.*, that 5 guineas be paid Richard Lombard, Esq., for four cubical brass measures bought from him; *It.*, that £6 0*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Wm. Maturin in full for his account for Newspapers; *It.*, that a licence be granted to John Channan of the Coal Quay, mariner, for keeping a coal yard and selling coal, giving security according to the Act of Parliament; *It.*, that 30 musquets and 30

Bayonets be lent out of the City Armoury to John Bennett and John Carleton, Esqrs., for the use of a Military Society in the City called the "Inniskilleners," on their passing their bond for £75 to the Mayor, to return said arms in good order; *It.*, that £7 6*s.* 11*d.* be paid John Cuthbert and John Gray for watching the City arms in the Market House from 11 Aug. to 21 Oct. last; *It.*, £5 to James Magrath, half a year's salary for teaching the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing.

That Jonathan Ashe, Esq., eldest son of Jonathan A., mercht., *dec.*; John Minton, gent., eldest son of John M., mercht., *dec.*; John Hodder Baily, gent., eldest son of Saml. B., gent.; Thornhill Archer, mercht., having served Geazly Wheeler and Andrew Hill, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Aldcn. Wetherall, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and S. Rowland.

19 *Nov.*, 1779.

We hereby make the following rules for fixing the wages and regulating the conduct of the Coal Measurers of the City of Corke and liberties thereof, to wit, That the Mayor for the time being shall annually appoint such number of Coal Measurers as to him shall seem meet to measure coals in and from on board. Every Ship and Vessel which shall arrive in the Harbour of Cork and discharge coals there for sale, to measure all coals sold on the quays in the public coal-yards or in private coal-yards legally licenced, said Coal Measurers shall be annually sworn before the Mayor to do justice between buyer and seller, and to do such other matters as to said Mayor shall appear for the advantage of the Public. That the Mayor shall grant to each of such Coal Measurers a warrant. He shall have power to add to or lessen the number and remove any for insolent behaviour; but for fraud committed the Mayor shall have power to commit to the House of Correction, there to be kept to hard labour for any space of time not exceeding one calendar month. That in case any person shall measure coals from on board any ship who shall not be appointed and sworn by the Mayor, such person shall forfeit for each time he shall so measure coals 20*s.*, to be levied off his goods, &c., half to be paid the prosecutor, the other half to the Governor of the Work House. The Mayor shall have power to fix wages to be paid the said Coal Measurers, and by whom said wages shall be paid, whether by buyer or seller, or equally between both; no other fees to

be paid for measuring coals in said City. Provided no Coal Measurer be removed, committed or fined until first convicted before the Mayor, by the oath at least of one credible witness, or by the Mayor on his own view. These rules to remain in full force until otherwise changed by this Board.

That Thos. Creed, cooper, having served Andrew Hill, *do.;* Joseph Rogers, jun., Esq., Doctor of Physic, eldest son of Bayly R., Esq.; Thomas Spiers Gabbett, jun., gent., eldest son of Thos. Spiers G., Esq.; W^m^. Newman, cooper, having served Rich^d^. Newman, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that W^m^. Flaherty, butcher, shall from next Saturday have an abatement of 2*s.* 2*d.* of the weekly rent of his stall in the English Shambles.

That John Lapp, jun., merch^t^., having served his father, John L., *do.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

We hereby approve of the erecting of Globe lamps, the number, distances, and places in the parish of the Holy Trinity, as fixed by Messrs. Geo. Seymour, Thos. Jones, and James Gregg, the Committee appointed by the Minister and C. W. of said Parish.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Rowland.

18 *Jan.*, 1780.

This day Mr. W^m^. Willcocks was sworn a member of the Common Council.

Ordered, that an address to His Majesty for his paternal care of his kingdom of Ireland be prepared in the name of the Mayor, &c., and that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Rowland, Mr. Izod, Mr. Morrison, Mr. Dep. Recorder, and Mr. Snowe do prepare the same; *It.*, that an address of thanks to his Excellency the Lord Lieut. for his great attention to the welfare of this kingdom be prepared in the name of the Mayor, &c., to be prepared by the above gentlemen.

That Lords North and Hillsborough be presented with their freedoms in Gold boxes for their great attention to the trade and welfare of this kingdom; *It.*, £600 to Mr. Mayor in addition to the sum of £400 voted as his Salary in C. D. II.; *It.*, a pension of £20 a year to Christiana, widow of Ald. Roe, *dec.; It.*, a pension of £20 a year to Helena, widow of Ald.

Franklin, *dec.*; *It.*, that Mr. Mayor pay for the glass that was broke by the firing of the canon on 1 Jan. inst., to be reimbursed out of the Corporation revenues; *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for a C. D. H. to be held in the Guildhall 26 Jan. inst., for the election of an Ald. of the Ward in the room of Ald. Franklin, *dec.*; *It.*, £31 7*s.* 9*d.* to Messrs. Izod and Busteed for candles; *It.*, that a pension of 2 guineas a year, in addition to the former sum, be paid to W^m^. Dibbins, a poor old blind freeman; *It.*, £6 0*s.* 6*d* to Mr. W^m^. Maturin for newspapers; *It.*, that Mr. Mayor, Ald. Rowland and Webb, Mr. Browne and Willcocks be a committee to state the accounts of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms houses, and report.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, Rowland, and Willcocks.

21 *Jan.*, 1780.

That Charles Ferguson, merch^t^., on payment of one pound, be admitted free.

The addresses to His Maj. and the Lord Lieut. being read and approved of, ordered, that they be engrossed, and when signed, be transmitted by Mr. Mayor to our Members in Parliament to be presented to the Lord Lieut.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Ald^en^. Wrixon, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, Travers, Willcocks.

27 *Jan.*, 1780.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick, Ald. Rowland, Mr. Browne, Izod, and Willcocks be a committee to examine the Corporation debts, salaries, and pensions chargeable on the Corporation revenue, and the amount of the revenue; *It.*, that £6 16*s.* 11½*d.* be paid to Mr. James Barrett for coals and candles supplied the Guard house at Blackpool; *It.*, £3 13*s.* 8*d.* to W^m^. Stephens for painting the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that the old Guard house under the City Court House and the two adjoining cellars be separately set by public cant for 21 years; *It.*, that the Sheriffs, Ald. Travers, Mr. Morrison and Willcocks be a committee till 29 Sep. next to examine tradesmen's accounts.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Wrixon, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Travers, and Rowland.

31 *Jan.*, 1780.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Will. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Webb, Rowland, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and Willcocks.

18 *Feb.*, 1780.

A draft of a Petition in the names of the Mayor, &c., Merchants and Traders of the City of Corke to the House of Commons for erecting Light Houses at the harbour of Corke, and also a draft of a Memorial in the names of the Mayor, &c., Merchants, and Traders to the Lord Lieut. and P. C. for making the out quays, being read, the same was approved of.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Bury, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Rowland, and Willcocks.

21 *Feb.*, 1780.

That the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Chatham be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Also Joseph Austen, gent., eldest son of Saml. A., merch^t^.; George Johnson, Cooper, having served Arthur Achteson, *do.*; Harmer Bond, gent. having served W^m^. Heard, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that 4 guineas be paid Eliz. Ogilby for one year's attendance and making fires in the Mayor's office; *It.*, £15 1*s.* 5½*d.* be paid the widow of Ald. Franklin, late master of S. Stephen's Hospital, balance due to her, to be accounted for on the loan.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Willcocks, and Izod.

3 *March*, 1780.

Ordered, that the Mayor, &c., Ald. Wetherall, Webb, Travers, Mr. Izod, Morrison, and Willcocks, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to stake the Corporation Slab at the south side of the Navigation Wall in the river Lee, and to have a map of the same drawn and marked out into convenient

lots for setting, and to draw on the Chamberlain for the money doing for said work; *It.*, that 100 barrels of coal be bought by Mr. Kent for the use of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Rowland, Willcocks, and Kingston, C. S.

2 *May*, 1780.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Lawton; Mr. Morrison, and Willcocks.

10 *May*, 1780.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick, Ald. Maylor, and Mr. Willcocks.

12 *May*, 1780.

Ordered, that £30 11*s.* 10½*d.* be paid the Sheriffs for printing work.

That Mr. John Bagwell be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Butler; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, Rowland, Willcocks, and Kingston, C. S.

2 *June*, 1780.

Ordered, that £19 2*s.* 1½*d.* be paid Thomas Hawes, tyler; *It.*, £8 17*s.* 4*d.* to said Hawes for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £41 6*s.* 4*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron work; *It.*, £6 12*s.* 9*d.* to said Hughes for iron work for the use of the Bridewell.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Lawton; Mr. Izod, Morrison, S. Rowland, and Willcocks.

13 *June*, 1780.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed; Aldcn. Philpott, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb; Mr. Morrison, Harding, Travers, and Willcocks.

16 *June*, 1780.

Whereas one Satterford hath lately made an encroachment on the Corporation property by breaking opes in the Town Wall, and thereby making a passage to the Corporation Quay at the East side of the South Bridge, ordered, that Mr. Mayor, the two Sheriffs, and Ald. Butler, with those appointed by the C. D. H., be a committee to take legal steps to remove said encroachment.

That Benjamin Jackson, apothecary, having served Andrew Peace, *do.*; Arthur Warner, cooper, having served Tho. Harris and John Cole, *do.*; Benson Wight, mercht., having served Thomas Burnett, *do.*; James Doherty, cooper, having served John Baker, *do.*; John Exham, mercht., having served Wm. Rickotts, *do.*; John Bond, grocer, having served Danl. Knight, sen., *dec.*, and Danl. Knight, jun.; Francis John Jeffery, cooper, having served Tho. Harris and Gibbs Ross, *do.*; John Beasly mercht., having served John Cuthbert, *do.*; Arthur Hurly, gent., eldest son of Robt. H., *do.*; Paston Gould, Esq., Lieut.-Col. H. M. 30 Reg. of Foot, now in garrison in this City, in a Silver box; Charles Crosbie, Esq., Lieut.-Col. H. M. 67 Regt. of Foot, now in the garrison, in a Silver box; John Browne, Esq., Lieut.-Col. H. M. Marine Forces now stationed in this City, in a Silver box; Wm. Bennett, Esq., Capt. of the Lennox Man of War, now stationed in this harbour, in a Silver box; Daniel Connor, of Ballybrickan, gent.; Thomas Kift, Linen draper; Henry Terry, *do.*; Rowland Morrison, mercht., son of Mr. Burgess M.; Joseph Kinselagh, Jeweller; William Harding, mercht.; Thomas Hewett, chandler, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £2 17*s.* 11½*d.* to Saml. Brookes, Exchange Porter, for sand, &c.; *It.*, £9 15*s.* 10*d.* to Andrew Peace, Apothecary, for one year's attendance at S. Stephen's Hospital for medicines and attendance; *It.*, £20 8*s.* to Sampson Austen, Woollen draper, for clothes for the Exchange Porter and Bellmen; *It.*, £78 2*s.* 7*d.* to said Austen for clothes for the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £10 11*s.* 5½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £76 16*s.* 1*d.* to said Hobbs for work done.

That Richard Marshall, Esq.; Charles Ferguson, mercht.; Robert Jackson,

Esq.; Edward Swiney, cooper, having served Wm. Barter, *dec.*, and Gibbs Ross, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

That 18 English shillings be paid to the Ringers of the Bells of S. Ann's, in honour of the Victory obtained by Admiral Rodney over the Spaniards.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Aldcn. Bury, Wrixon, Webb, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Morrison, Travers, Rowland, Willcocks, and Kingston, C. S.

23 *June*, 1780.

Ordered, that an advertisement be published in Bagnell's and Flyn's Newspapers, that the Mayor, &c., will receive proposals for erecting and lighting lamps in this City and suburbs, from 1 Sep. to 1 May from sunset to sunrise, pursuant to Act of Parliament, proposals to be given to the Mayor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed; Aldcn. Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Butler; Mr. Browne, Izod, Travers, Rowland, Willcocks and Morrison.

12 *July*, 1780.

This day Peter Dumas, Esq., was sworn as Common Speaker.

Ordered, that 30 guineas be paid Mr. Mayor, for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle on 1 Aug.

That Peter Welsh, butcher, having served Thos. Hardaway *do.*, be admitted a freeman.

It., £6 0*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Wm. Maturin, for newspapers. Whereas the Director of the Public Coal Yards of this City is restrained from purchasing coals in said City at a higher price than 3*s.* 6*d.* the Barrel, and whereas on account of the high Insurance of Coal Ships and the high wages paid to Seamen, occasioned by the present war, it is apprehended the Director will not be able to purchase coals during this year at the aforesaid price, and this Board being apprehensive the poor of this City will be greatly distressed for want of firing unless the Director be enabled to purchase coals for the public use; Ordered, that the Director shall be indemnified out of the Corporation revenues for any loss that he shall suffer by purchasing coals for the use of the public, at an higher price than 3*s.* 6*d.* a barrel, provided the said Director shall sell out the said coal at an advance price of sixpence the barrel, and provided the Mayor shall from time to time approve

the price the Director shall agree to pay for the coals before the purchase of same. *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, Mr. Burgess Browne, Rowland, and Willcocks, with those of the C. D. H., be a committee to state the Water Bailiff's account. *It.* that two bunting flags, one for Blackrock Castle, and the other for a boat, be bought by Mr. Mayor out of the Corporation Revenue.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Alden. Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Owgan; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Rowland; Ald. Bury, Wetherall, Lawton; Mr. Dumas, C. S., and Mr. Morrison.

17 *July*, 1780.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Alden. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Webb, Owgan; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Dumas, C. S.

17 *Aug.*, 1780.

Ordered, that £88 19*s.* 5½*d.* be paid W^m. Reynolds, Gold and Silversmith, for work done from 29 Feb. last, to 19 June last; *It.*, that £8 1*s.* 5*d.* to Thomas White, printer, for work done.

That Capt. McBride, of H. M. Ship Bienfeisant, for his late gallant behaviour in attacking and taking a large French Ship of War off the harbour of Cork, and thereby preserving a number of merchant-men bound from Cork to America, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box. Also, Robert Bradshaw, cooper, having served Rich^d. Coursey, *do.*; George Harris, mercht., having served Mr. Burgess Hains; Richard Bettesworth, Esq., Major of H. M. Royal Irish Regiment of Artillery, eldest son of Richard Bettesworth, Esq., *dec.*, late one of the King's Sargeants at Law, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that the Mayoralty House be painted after 4 Oct., and that Francis Carleton, Esq., Mayor elect, oversee same.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed; Alden. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, Harding, Rowland, Willcocks, and Dumas, C. S.

25 *Aug.*, 1780.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Wrixon, Butler, Owgan, and Mr. Dumas, C. S.

28 *Aug.*, 1780.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other tolls be set, &c. (terms as before). *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Water Bailiff for one year, his salary to be £60 (duties and security as before).

Whereas the several Markets of this City are not kept clean by the persons taking the same, notwithstanding the covenants in their leases; ordered, that the several persons taking the said Markets shall at the time of the cant deposit the sums hereafter to be held by the Mayor, on the following conditions, to wit: That if the persons taking a Market shall neglect to keep it clean, then the Mayor shall employ persons as often as the case shall happen to clean said Market, and pay the expenses out of the deposit, and at the end of the year the Mayor shall return to each person such part of the deposit as shall not be expended, and that the deposit be as follows:—For the Corn Market, 3 guineas; For the Root Market, 4 guineas; For the North Milk Market, 3 guineas; For the South Milk Market, 2 guineas; For the North Shambles and standings, 3 guineas; For the South Shambles and standings, 2 guineas; For the Fish Market, 4 guineas; For the Fowl Market, 4 guineas; For the Blackpool Market, 2 guineas.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Travers, Lawton, Butler, Bury, Wetherall, Swete, Maylor, and Mr. Dumas, C. S.

1 *Sep.*, 1780.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Aldᵉⁿ. Bury, Webb, Wetherall, Wrixon, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Willcocks, and Dumas, C. S.

8 *Sep.*, 1780.

Ordered, that John Harding, Esq., shall have liberty to take in 17 square feet from the Potatoe dock, at the South West end thereof, in order to deposit the dung and sweeping of his own quay, and for keeping same clean; *It.*, that 3 guineas be paid to Norris Ballard for six months attendance at the Mayor's Office in the Exchange; *It.*, that the dwelling-house

belonging to the Corporation on the the South side of the Fowl Market, lately in the tenancy of Wm. Sullivan, be set by public cant from 29 Sep. inst., and that the arrears due by Sullivan be forgiven him on his surrender of his lease.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Alden. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Willcocks, and Dumas, C. S.

16 *Sep.*, 1780.

Ordered, that £11 2*s.* 6½*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor, being the amount of the value of the glass that was broke in the houses of the Inhabitants by the firing of the Canon on 1 Jan. last; *It.*, that £6 18*s.* 2*d.* be paid to Mr. Mayor, for weights and scales.

That Richard Atkins, cooper, having served Wm. Lane, *do.;* Joshua Burchfield, butcher, having served Francis Wise, *do;* John Bastable, gent., having served Thos. Chatterton, Esq., one of the Attorneys of the Tholsel; John Mayberry, cooper, having served Richd. Mayberry and James Dixon, *do.;* George Thomas, gent., having served W. Heard, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor do provide a Clock to be put on the Corporation Market House at Blackpool, not to exceed the cost of 30 guineas.

That Dominick Trant, Esq., Mr. Mayor's Freeman; Giles Busteed, gent., at the request of Mr. Sher. Busteed; Wm. Bennett, Esq., at the request of Mr. Sheriff Pick, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Busteed and Pick; Alden. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers; Mr. Izod, and Willcocks.

22 *Sep.*, 1780.

A proposal being made to this Board to light the lamps in the several parishes in this City from 1 Oct. to 1 May next, at £1 3*s.* for each lamp, and for the two next years from 1 Sep. to 1 May, at £1 4*s.* for each Lamp. This Board being willing for the good of this City to agree to said proposal, provided the same should be agreeable to the inhabitants, Mr. Mayor in consequence thereof sent a copy of said proposal to the Minister of each parish, in order that each should call a Vestry and consult the parishioners thereon. Mr. Mayor this day laid before this Board the fol-

lowing letters, to wit: A letter from the Rev^d. Stephen Baggs, Curate of the parish of S. Paul, mentioning that he had called a Vestry, and that the parishioners prefer the undertaking to light their own lamps than to accede to said proposal; A letter from Rev. Doctor Lamelliere, Minister of the Parish of S. Nicholas, stating that the Parishioners had agreed with a contractor to light the lamps in the said Parish; A letter from Rev^d. Mr. Orpen, curate of the parish of S. Peter, stating that the parishioners did not approve of said proposal; A letter from the curate of Christ Church, mentioning that the Vestry were willing to come into said proposal. This Board, or the gentleman who made said proposal, will not engage in lighting said lamps unless he has the contract for lighting all the Parishes of this City, and do hereby agree to appoint any contractor the separate parishes of this City they shall agree with to light the Lamps in their respective parishes.

Ordered, that £29 18*s.* 4*d.* be paid Rich^d. Burt, plumber, for work done; *It.*, £16 1*s.* 7*d.* to said Burt, for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital, to be accounted for on the loan.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Ald^en. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Dumas, C. S.

30 *Sep.*, 1780.

This day Messrs. Wrixon, Browne, Hare, Willcocks, and Moore, a committee appointed to examine the Waterbailiff's accounts, report that the Waterbailiff paid the Chamberlain all money by him received (over his own salary, the Dep. Waterbailiff's, &c., to 29 June last. Ordered, that £7 10*s.* be paid Thomas Cockran, cabinet-maker, for 25 oak chairs; *It.*, £57 1*s.* 3½*d.* to Messrs. Bagnell and Co., printers, in full for their account.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Pick; Ald^en. Swete, Bury, Wrixon, Baker, Webb, Travers, Lawton; Mr. Browne, Izod, Travers, Willcocks, and Dumas, C. S.

11 *Oct.*, 1780.

Francis Carleton, Esq., Mayor.

This day Mr. Mayor and the Sheriffs were sworn of the Common Council.

Ordered, that the opinion of Mr. Dep. Recorder and Councillor Bennett be taken in the case relative to the erecting and lighting Lamps in this

City, and that 4 guineas be paid to Mr. Snowe, who is to give two guineas to each of said gentlemen for their opinion.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Alden. Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Butler, Owgan, Harding, and Mr. Dumas, C. S.

19 *Oct.*, 1780.

No business this day.—Wm. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Alden. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Izod, Harding, and Dumas, C. S.

5 *Dec.*, 1780.

Ordered, that £13 3*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor for altering the Mayor's Office at the Mayoralty House into a family parlour, pursuant to an estimate; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of Coals; *It.*, that £11 7*s.* be paid Mr. Izod, director of the Public Coal Yards, so much paid by him on the purchase of 2416 barrels of coals bought by him in the month of April, 1779, over and above the price allowed him to purchase it by Act of Parliament; *It.*, £42 13*s.* 8½*d*, to said Izod, so much paid by him on the purchase of 1171 Barrels and a half of coals, over and above the price allowed him to purchase at by Act of Parliament, to account for said money after the sales of the Coals; *It.*, £10 to James Magrath, one year's Salary for instructing the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Allen; Alden. Wetherall, Wrixon, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Dumas, C. S.

26 *Jan.*, 1781.

That the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Carlisle, Lo.-Lieut. of Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a Gold box; and the Rt. Hon. Wm. Eden, Esq., Principal Sec. to his Excellency, in a Silver box.

Ordered, that £33 1*s.* 8½*d.* be paid Messrs. Morrison, Fuller, and McCarthy, Timber Merchants, for timber supplied for S. Stephen's Hospital, to be accounted for on the loan; *It.*, £42 10*s.* 7½*d.* to said timber merchants, in full for their account; *It.*, £56 4*s.* 7*d.* to Ald. Lawton, Master of S. Stephen's Hospital, for several articles bought by him for the use of said Hospital, from 1 Feb., 1780 to 29 Dec. last, to be accounted for on the loan, &c.;

It., £2 2*s.* to George Uppington, for a rope by him bought for the Exchange clock; *It.*, that £126 0*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Izod, director of the Public Coal Yards, so much paid by him on the purchase of 1787 Barrels of Coals, over and above the price allowed him to purchase at by Act of Parliament, Mr. Izod to account for said money after the sales.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston; Aldᵉⁿ. Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne and Izod.

19 *March*, 1781.

Whereas it is necessary to paint the Council Chamber, cleanse the pictures, guild the frames of the pictures, the frame of the looking-glass, and the balls of the clock, to whitewash the ceiling, and get the chimney cured from smokeing, proposals to be given in to Mr. Mayor.

Ordered, that £2 19*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Ald. Harding, so much expended by him in repairing and new painting the Blackrock Flag; *It.*, £5 14*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. Maturin, for newspapers supplied; *It.*, £29 0*s.* 7*d.* to Thomas Haines, tyler, work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £5 11*s.* 6*d.* to Mrs. Mary Edwards, for two sets of the Acts of last Session bound, one for the Corporation, the other for the Mayor's Office; *It.*, 3 guineas to Norris Ballard, for half-year's attendance at the Mayor's Office in the Exchange, and also 3*s.* 3*d.* by him expended for a chamber pot, porterage of coals, and kindling.

Whereas Andrew Kenny took the tolls of the Fish Market for one year from 29 Sep. last, at a rent of £98, and made a deposit of £24 10*s.*, but hath not since paid any part of said rent, and hath refused to execute bonds for said rent, according to his original agreement, ordered, that the tolls of said Fish Market be set by public cant for the remainder of the year agreeable to the terms for setting tolls, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Aldᵉⁿ. Swete, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Browne, and Rowland.

30 *March*, 1781.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Wrixon, Webb, Lawton and Mr. Izod.

3 *April*, 1781.

Ordered, that £500 be paid Mr. Mayor, in addition to the salary of £500 paid by C. D. H.; *It.*, that £50 0*s.* 6*d.* be paid Messrs. Izod and Co., for candles; *It.*, £8 0*s.* 9½*d.* to Edmond Flaherty, mason, for work done; *It.*, £31 10*s.* 11*d.* to Thomas Hawes, tyler, for work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Izod and Rowland.

9 *April*, 1781.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Swete, Rowland, Owgan, Baker; Mr. Saml. Rowland, Morrison, and Dumas, C. S.

31 *May*, 1781.

That Sir George Collier, Bart., Capt. of the Canada Man of War, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Ordered, that Sher. Kingston and Allen, Ald^en^. Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding, and Mr. Burgess Rowland, be a committee to visit Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses, and report the state of the persons in same, and by whom put in; *It.*, that a Memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., be sent to his Excell. the Lo. Lieut. for obtaining a proper naval force to protect the trade of this City; *It.*, that Ald. Maylor, Butler, Owgan, Harding, and Mr. Burgess Rowland be a committee until 24 Dec., to examine tradesmen's accounts; *It.*, that £5 be paid James Magrath, half-year's salary for instructing the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Izod and Rowland.

7 *June*, 1781.

That Richard Benj. Swete, gent., eldest son of Ald. Swete; Joshua Dawson, Esq., eldest son of Charles D., Esq.; Danl. Franklin, shoemaker, eldest son of James F., cooper, *dec.;* James Fuller Harnett, gent., eldest son of Thos. Fuller, Esq.; John Bradshaw, mercht., having served Henry Sadlier,

do.; Christ. Johnson, mercht., having served Peter Johnson, *do.;* James White, cooper, having served Roger Langley, *do.;* Thomas Archer, cooper, having served Isaac Jones, *do.;* Wm. Collow, mercht., being a Protestant stranger, having come into this City to reside and carry on business therein, (on the statute); Wm. Grinly, mercht., a Protestant stranger, &c.; John Anderson, mercht., being a Protestant stranger, &c.; John Rowand, mercht., being a Protestant stranger, &c., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £3 5*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh, expenses of taking the opinion of Wm. Jenkins, Esq., Dep. Recorder of this City, relative to the weighing of potatoes in this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Alden. Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Lawton, Harding; Mr. Izod, Burgess Harding, Rowland, and Dumas, C. S.

21 *June*, 1781.

That Abraham Abbott, gent., having served Wm. Snowe, Town Clerk; John Splaine, mercht., having served Thos. Fuller, one of the Burgesses of this City; Edward Davies, manufacturer of Lampblack, being a Protestant stranger, come to reside in this City; Wm. Whelling, Woollen draper, having served Sampson Austen, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £36 8*s.* 7*d.* be paid Wm. Snowe, Town Clerk, in full for his bill of costs; *It.*, £4 11*s.* to Henry Wrixon, Esq., the estimate for repairing and painting the late King's Statue on the Mall, new guilding the Inscription, and painting the pallasadoes round the statue.

That Mr. Cooper Penrose, as Mr. Mayor's freeman; Wm. Mannix, chandler, at the request of Mr. Sher. Kingston; Abraham Allen, gent., at the request of Mr. Sher. Allen, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that Ald. Harding, Mr. Burgess Browne, and Rowland, be a committee to repair Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses, the money to be paid by the Chamberlain out of the money belonging to said Alms houses, now on hand.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Alden. Swete, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Izod and Rowland.

24 *July*, 1781.

This day Mr. John Robinson took the oath of secrecy as Common Speaker.

Ordered, that 30 guineas be paid to Mr. Mayor, for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle, on 4 Aug. next; *It.*, £45 19*s.* 5½*d.* to Edward Flaherty, mason, for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £62 16*s.* 2*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, work done at said Hospital; *It.*, £24 18*s.* 6½*d.* to Richard Burt, glazier, work done; *It.*, £19 18*s.* 0½*d.* to said Burt, work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £14 19*s.* 1*d.* to Timothy Hughes, for iron work supplied; *It.*, £15 19*s.* 9*d.* to said Hughes, for iron work supplied for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £45 17*s.* 3*d.* to said Hughes, for iron work for the Corporation coal barrels; *It.*, £5 6*s.* to said Hughes, for the piles for North Bridge; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of Coal; *It.*, that the Corporation Fire Engine be given to the Parish of S. Nicholas, and the salary for keeping said engine be discontinued; *It.*, that Mr. Kent receive from Timothy Hughes, gunsmith, 614 Musquets, 614 Bayonets, Corporation arms now in his custody, as said Hughes has declined acting any longer as armourer of this City; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Speaker for the time being, Ald^en. Maylor, Rowland, Harding, Mr. Izod and Snowe, be a committee to inspect the state of the Corporation revenues and expenditure, and report some scheme to reduce said expenditure.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en. Wetherall, Swete, Maylor, Baker, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne, and J. Robinson, C. S.

10 *Aug.*, 1781.

Ordered, that £1 14*s.* 8*d.* be paid John Colbert for watching the Corporation Arms 32 nights in the Mayoralty of Ald. Westropp; *It.*, £5 14*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. W^m. Maturin, for newspapers supplied.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Rowland, and Robinson, C. S.

17 *Aug.*, 1781.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other Tolls be sold by public cant (terms as before); *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a

Water Bailiff for one year, at a salary of £60 (duties as usual); *It.*, £6 to Andrew Peace, Apothecary, one year's attendance on the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital, and a further sum of £4 11*s.* 2*d.* for medicines; *It.*, £28 9*s.* to Timothy Mulcahy, painter, for painting the Council Chamber and windows white, whitewashing the ceiling, and guilding the frames of the looking-glass, pictures, and balls of the clock, and cleansing and varnishing the pictures.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Recorder, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne, and Rowland.

25 *Aug.*, 1781.

That John Cole, junr., Cooper, eldest son of John C., *do.*, be admitted a freeman.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Butler, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Rowland, and Robinson, C. S.

14 *Sep.*, 1781.

No business done this day.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Owgan; Mr. Browne, Travers, and Rowland.

25 *Sep.*, 1781.

In pursuance of an Act of Parliament for the regulation of the City of Cork, &c., we, the Mayor, &c., do fix 900 globe lamps with single burners, with a good Turkey cotton wick yarn of eight threads, as necessary for said City and suburbs thereof, and we fix that 269 of said Lamps shall be erected in the Parish of the Holy Trinity, 173 in the Parish of S. Peter, 90 in the Parish of S. Paul, 210 in the Parishes of S. Mary and S. Ann Shandon, 158 in the Parishes of S^t^. Finbarry and S. Nicholas, and that said Lamps shall be erected in the places in the said several parishes and suburbs which have been lately marked out for the erecting the same; and we fix that said lamps shall be lighted on the night of the 1 Oct. next, at sun-setting, and continue lighted to sun-rising until 1 April, and on every succeeding year,

on the night of 1 Oct. at sun-setting to continue till sun-rising until 1 April, to be lighted with good rape-seed oil or good fish oil, or both mixed together, to be trimmed, &c., as often as necessary, &c.; and we fix the sum of 15*s.* 6½*d.* expenses of each of said globe lamps with the heading thereof, the single burner and Lamp iron for the same, and erecting the same, the whole amounting to £699 7*s.* 6*d.*, and we do hereby ascertain that the sum of £1 7*s.* 6*d.* (amounting in the whole to £1237 10*s.*) shall be paid for lighting, cleaning, trimming, &c. each of said lamps

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne, Travers, and Rowland.

25 *Sep.*, 1781.

Ordered, that the Valuators of Houses, Out-Houses, Cellars, Stables, Linneys, and Yards, be summoned to value all such new buildings; *It.*, that a memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., for repealing the Act of Parliament for preventing persons being arrested for debts not exceeding five pounds, be prepared by Mr. Snowe and sent to our members, said law being highly injurious to the trade of this City and to the credit of the lower class of manufacturers; *It.*, that £26 5*s.* 0½*d.* be paid to Mr. Mayor for sundry works by him done for the Corporation; *It.*, that 3 guineas be paid Norris Ballard, half-a-year's Salary for attendance on the Mayor's Office in the Exchange; *It.*, £49 19*s.* 11*d.* to W^m^. Reynolds, gold and silver-smith, for work done from 20 Sep., 1780, to 1 June last.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne, Travers, and Rowland.

28 *Sep.*, 1781.

Ordered, that Attwell Hayes be appointed valuator for the Parish of S. Peter, in the room of John Donoghue, who has removed out of said Parish; *It.*, Thomas Hewett, *do.*, for the parish of S^t^. Ann, in the room of Robert Stoker, *dec.*; *It.*, Samuel Lane, *do.*, for the parish of S^t^. Finbarry, in the room of George Reed, removed out of said parish; *It.*, Thomas Gregg, *do.*, for the parish of S. Finbarry, in the room of James Doyle, ex-

cused from serving on account of his infirmities; *It.*, Davies Tuckey, *do.*, for the Parish of S. Finbarry, in the room of Anthony Hawksworth, removed out of said Parish; *It.*, Saml. Williams, *do.*, for the Parish of S. Paul, in the room of James Bonwell, removed out of said parish; *It.*, Barth. Donoghue, *do.*, for the parish of S. Paul, in the room of David Connell removed out of said parish.

It., 10 guineas to Mr. Sober Kent, for his trouble in selecting places in this City and Suburbs where the lamps are to be erected.

That William Lane, clothier, having served his father, Abraham L., *do.*; George Wood, tanner, eldest son of John W., *do.*; John Palliser, Esq., eldest son of Wray P., Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Kingston and Allen; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Travers, Owgan, Lawton; Mr. Browne, Travers and Rowland.

26 *Oct.*, 1781.

Walter Travers, Esq., Mayor.

This day Robt. Hutchinson and Peter Dumas, Esq^rs^., were sworn Common Council men as Sheriffs.

That Francis Jones, youngest son of John Jones, mercht., be admitted a freeman.

Ordered, that the small house under part of the Exchange, now occupied by Mich^l^. Mathews, bookseller, the Watch house on the South Bridge, and the small apartment under the Corn Market steps, be set by public cant for seven years from 1 Dec. next; *It.*, that the several fines imposed at the Assizes and Sessions held for the County of this City for some time past, and said fines for three years to come, be granted by the Mayor, &c., to the Governors of the Work House of this City for the use of said Workhouse; *It.*, that two counters be put in the Fowl Market by Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, according to estimate, and that he be paid for doing thereof £15 9*s.* 6*d.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Ald^en^. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Rowland and Izod.

6 *Nov.*, 1781.

The Mayor having received letters from our Members, mentioning their

attendance to the Memorials of this Board to the House of Commons, relative to the further improvement of our Harbour and to obtain a repeal of the law preventing arrests under £5, ordered, that the Clerk of the Council do, in the name of the Mayor, &c., return their thanks to our Members for their attention to said Memorial; *It.*, that £103 10*s.* 6½*d.* be paid the representative of Richard Burt., glazier, for work done; *It.*, £34 12*s.* 8*d.* to Sampson Austen, Woollen draper, for clothing for the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £24 8*s.* 4*d.* to said Austen for clothing supplied for the Blue Coats and Exchange Porter; *It.*, £3 17*s.* 2*d.* to Ald. Harding, so much paid by him in his Mayoralty for candles to illuminate the Mayoralty House, and one year's pipe water for *do.*; *It.*, £5 to James Magrath, half-year's salary for instructing the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing.

It., that Mr. John Peddar and Mr. Charles Ferguson be appointed Scavengers for sweeping, &c., the several streets, &c., on Morrison's Island; *It.*, that Wm. Harris, of Ballinaspig, Farmer, of the Parish of S. Finbarry, be appointed a valuator of houses, &c., in the room of Thomas Gregg, gent., excused, &c.

That Thomas Kift, Jun., mercht., eldest son of Thomas K., *do.*, be admitted a freeman.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Aldn. Philpott, Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding; Burgess Harding, Mr. Izod, and Rowland.

13 *Nov.*, 1781.

That Thomas Fitz-Gerald, Esq., Counr. at Law, be admitted a freeman.

Ordered, that Mr. Snowe do return the thanks of this Board to our Members, for the grant of £2000 from the House of Commons, for the further improvement of the Harbour of Corke, and that Mr. Snowe do write to our Members, that the Court of Record of said City should be exempted out of Mr. Chapman's Act, as well as the Courts of Conscience, and also to have the following clauses obtained in any Law that shall pass this Session of Parliament for continuing and amending the temporary statutes, to wit: A clause that the Church Wardens of the several parishes shall receive the several Foundling Children exposed in their parishes, under a penalty to be recovered by Civil Bill; That a power be vested in

the Mayor, &c., and their trustees, to sell the shares of such proprietors of the pipe water by auction, who shall refuse to pay their dividends when called upon for continuing the work, the sum due to the scheme to be deducted out of the purchase-money, the remainder to be paid over to the proprietor; A clause to enable the Grand Jury at the Assizes to be held for said City, to present money for arching over or otherwise covering with drains the docks and canals, for widening streets and public passages; and that a proper mode be struck out for the more easy and safe conduct of prisoners under a writ of *H. C.* from the City of Corke to Dublin. *It.*, £6 4*s.* 2*d.* be paid to Edmond Flaherty, mason, for repairing the pavement and stone piers under the linnys of the North Milk Market, repairing part of the pavement opposite the North Meat Shambles, down from the iron grate to that part of the street opposite to the door of Mr. Gould's shop, according to estimate; *It.*, £3 10*s.* 2*d.* to Thomas Hawes, for slating the North Milk Market; *It.*, Mr. Pope Gray is appointed scavenger for sweeping, &c. the public street from Goulnaspurra to Mr. Moore's house on Pope's Quay.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Aldᵉⁿ. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Izod, Morrison, and Rowland.

30 *Nov.*, 1781.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Dumas; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Travers, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne and Robinson, C. S.

6 *Dec.*, 1781.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., of this City, by their Bond, dated 26 June, 1775, became bound to the Minister and C. W. of the parish of the Holy Trinity, in the sum of £550, conditioned for the payment of £275 on 26 June then next with legal interest for the use of the poor of said Parish, and whereas the sum of £100 hath been paid by the Mayor, &c., to the Minister and C. W. of said parish, in part payment of said bond, and afterwards the said Minister and C. W. assigned said bond and the sum of £175 remaining due to Charles McCarthy, house carpenter, who lately assigned same to Edmond

Roche Kinselagh, gent.; ordered, that said bond, &c., be taken up and cancelled, and that a new bond be passed by the Mayor, &c., to said Edmond Roche Kinselagh for £175, with legal interest, &c.; *It.*, that Pope Gray, Esq., be appointed scavenger for sweeping, &c., the public passage from Mr. Lombard's dwelling-house on Batchelor's Quay to Brown's Hill.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Robinson, C. S., and Rowland.

11 *Dec.*, 1781.

Ordered, that £500 be paid Mr. Mayor in addition to the salary of £500, ascertained for him in the C. D. H.

That Benjamin Chapman, Esq., M.P., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box for his attention to the interests of this City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton; Mr. Browne and Rowland.

9 *Jan.*, 1782.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Butler, Harding; Mr. Burgess Browne and Rowland.

17 *Jan.*, 1782.

Ordered, that Mr. Vesian Pick be allowed £1 13*s.* 7*d.* rates and taxes paid by him, that were due on the house he holds from the Corporation; *It.*, that £58 9*s.* be paid Mr. Mayor and Henry Wrixon, Esq., for new flagging the Exchange, agreeable to plan and estimate, and that the old flags be sold by public cant, the money to go in part discharge of said £58 9*s.*; *It.*, 2 guineas to Mr. Mayor for repairing Mr. Pitt's statue.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Harding; Mr. Browne, Izod, Rowland.

19 *Feb.*, 1782.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—W^m^. Snowe, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, and Bury.

22 *Feb.*, 1782.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, £39 16*s.* 1½*d.* for smith's work done; *It.*, £18 2*s.* 3*d.* to Thomas Hawes, for slater's work done; *It.*, £14 17*s.* 10*d.* to said Hawes, for slater's work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £64 15*s.* 4*d.* to James and John Knight, for printer's work; *It.*, £10 6*s.* 10½*d.* to Mary Shaw, ship chandler, for goods supplied.

That Thomas Benson, mercht., eldest son of Paul B., *do.*, be admitted a freeman.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Aldᵉⁿ. Bury, Maylor, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne, Rowland, Robinson, C. S., and Mr. Izod.

31 *May*, 1782.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Ed. Roche Kinselagh acting as Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Lawton, Carleton; Burgess Browne, Morrison, and Rowland.

5 *June*, 1782.

That his Excell. the Duke of Portland, Lo.-Lieut. of Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a gold box; and the Rt. Hon. Richᵈ. Fitz Patrick, Prin. Sec. to his Excellʸ., in a silver box. William Worth Newenham, Esq., eldest son of Thomas N., late of Coolmore, *dec.*; John Travers, of Bandon, mercht., eldest son of Francis T., *do.*; Thomas Newenham, gent., eldest son of Robt. N., Esq., *dec.*; William Wrixon, of Ballygiblin, eldest son of Henry W., of Assolas, Esq.; Daniel Morrison, mercht., having served his father, Mr. Burg. M.; Robert Lane, cooper, eldest son of William L., *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £5 5*s.* 7½*d.* be paid Norris Ballard, three-quarters of a year's salary for attending the Mayor's Office in the Exchange, and for brooms, &c.; *It.*, £6 8*s.* 2½*d.* to the reps. of Richard Burt, glazier, for work done; *It.*, £53 0*s.* 1*d.* to Edmond Flaherty, mason, for work done.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Aldᵉⁿ. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan,

Harding, Carleton; Burgess Browne, Izod, Morrison, Rowland, and Mr. Robinson, C. S.

19 *July*, 1782.

That Thomas Roe, gent., eldest son of Francis Richard Roe, mercht.; Thomas Austen, Esq., eldest son of William A., of Waterfall, Esq.; Lieut. Edward Butler, H. M. 11 Reg. of Foot, eldest son of Ald. William B.; Thomas Richard Fuller, gent., eldest son of Richard F., mercht., *dec.;* Richard Tonson Rye, of Ryecourt, Esq., eldest son of John Rye, of Darling Hall, Esq.; Paul Maylor, mercht., eldest son of Saml. M.; Godfrey Evans Baker, Esq., eldest son of Godfrey B., Esq.; Joshua Coe, butcher, eldest son of Joshua C., *do.;* William Abbott, mercht., having served Francis Harvey, *do.;* Thomas Smith, mercht., having served Paul and James Benson, *do.;* Henry Warner, plumber, having served Peter Warner, *do.;* Dennis Quigly, woolcomber, having served Messrs. Humphry Crowly and Henry Sadlier, clothiers; Samuel Nash, woolcomber, having served Messrs. Richard Pope and Henry Sadlier, clothiers; William Anne Rumley, woollen draper, having served Sampson Austen, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that 30 guineas be paid Mr. Mayor, for an entertainment at Blackrock Castle.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Alden. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Baker, Maylor, Travers, Webb, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Burgess Izod, and Morrison.

25 *July*, 1782.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other Tolls be set by public cant (terms, &c., as before); *It.*, that a posting be put on the Exchange, for electing a Waterbailiff for one year, salary £60 (conditions, &c., as before); *It.*, that £21 8*s.* 4*d.* be paid Sampson Austen, for clothes for the Exchange Porter and City Bellmen; *It.*, that £6 be paid Mr. Andrew Peace, Apothecary, for one year's attendance on the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital; also £2 7*s.* 11*d.* for medicines for said Boys; *It.*, £3 0*s.* 8½*d.* to Saml. Brooks, Exchange Porter, for several necessaries.

It having been heretofore the practice (tho' at times omitted), Resolved, that every person in future applying for his freedom in right of servitude shall (if any doubts arise in the minds of any of the Council) personally

make affidavid (or affirmation, if a Quaker) before the Council, of having served a regular apprentiship for full seven years, &c., and if it be thought necessary to examine the master, the testimony so required to be given on oath (or affirmation, if a Quaker,) of the master, let his rank or consequence be what it may, in order that no freedom may pass the Council through deception or want of the best information that can be possibly obtained; the same authentic. information on oath respecting elder sons of Freemen will, if thought necessary, be required.

That Henry Ford, woolcomber, having served Humphry Crowly, clothier; Russell Fitton, brewer, having served William Fitton, Esq., *do.*, be admitted freemen.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding, and Mr. Burgess Rowland.

2 *Aug.*, 1782.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Ed. Roche Kinselagh, acting as Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wetherall, Webb, Harding, Carleton, and Baker.

6 *Aug.*, 1782.

The Sheriffs not attending, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—Ed. Roche Kinselagh, acting as Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton; Burgess Izod and Harding.

9 *Aug.*, 1782.

This day Mr. John Shaw took the oath of secrecy as Common Speaker.

Ordered, that 6 *per cent.* be paid for the sum of £1200 in the Corporation hands, belonging to the Charity School of S. Peter, bequeathed by the will of Moses Deane, Esq., instead of the present interest money.

This day Mr. Mayor elect was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

That Francis Forde, clothier, having served Rich^d^. Pope, *do.*; Rev^d^. John Connor, eldest son of James C., Esq.; Samuel McCall, mercht., a foreign

Protestant, paying 20*s.*; Thomas Thomas, Cooper, having served John Cole, *do.*; Job Hart Price, gent., having served Willm. Jones, Esq., one of the attorneys; William Gumbleton Daunt, gent., eldest son of Richard Daunt, gent.; Edward Maunsell Townsend, Esq., and Hugh Loyd, Esq., be admitted freemen.

It., £42 2*s.* to William Reynolds, goldsmith, for one gold and two silver boxes; *It.*, £8 11*s.* 0½*d.* to Richard Lane, Keeper of the Bridewell, expended in maintaining (in the Mayoralty of Ald. Westropp) three officers and nine sailors, American Prisoners; *It.*, £4 12*s.* 6½*d.* to Thomas Harding, Burgess, costs of an attachment when Sheriff, for not paying the fines he received at Assizes and Sessions into the Exchequer, they being the property of the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor elect; Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Burgess Browne, Izod, and Mr. Shaw, C. S.

24 *Aug.*, 1782.

Ordered, that £25 11*s.* 4*d.* be paid Mr. Mayor elect, Ald. Webb and Lawton, for building a wall 13 feet high, in order to enclose the Church yard and waste ground at S. Stephen's Hospital, pursuant to estimate delivered in by Francis Cottrell, Esq., to be accounted for on the loan, &c.; *It.*, that 10 guineas be paid to the Mayor Elect, for repairing the Market House loft, whitewashing and new glazing the same, in order to fit it up for the reception of the Volunteers who are to be reviewed under Lord Charlemont, on 7 Sep. next.; *It.*, that 6 *per cent.* be paid as interest money for the sum of £100 in the hands of the Corporation, belonging to the Trustees of the Green Coat Hospital, for which they now pay but 5 *per cent.*

That Walter Croker, merch^t.^, having served Thomas Burnett, *do.*; David How, cooper, having served Gibbs Ross, *do.*; Thomas Waddington, apothecary, eldest son of John W., *do.*, *dec.*; John Pearse, gent., eldest son of Daniel P., merchant, *dec.*, be admitted freemen.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Hutchinson and Dumas; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Baker, Webb, Travers, Lawton, Butler, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Burgess Rowland and Mr. Shaw, C. S.

30 *Aug.*, 1782.

That Anthony Lane, gent., Lieut. H. M. 32 Reg. of Foot, son of Anthony L., Esq., *dec.*, late Town Clerk, be admitted a freeman.

Ordered, that a Memorial to his Excellency the Lord Lieut. be prepared by the Town Clerk, in the name of the Mayor, &c., praying a convoy for the Coal ships bound from England to this Harbour.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Hutchinson; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Lawton, Carleton; Burgess Izod, Morrison, Rowland, and Mr. C. S.

16 *Sep.*, 1782.

That the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Charlemont be presented with his freedom in a gold box, and also Admiral Lord Rodney in a gold box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Dumas; Ald^en^. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton; Mr. Kent, M. E., and Mr. Shaw, C. S.

21 *Sep.*, 1782.

The Sheriffs not attending, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—Ed. Roche Kinselagh, Acting Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect; Ad^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Harding, Carleton; Mr. Burgess, Izod, and Rowland.

22 *Oct.*, 1782.

Sober Kent, Esq., Mayor.

This day, Mr. Mayor, Mr. Sheriff Thompson, and Lindsay, were sworn Common Council men.

Ordered, that the Mayor do provide 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, that the Corporation bond for £500 be passed to John Fitton, Esq., payable 12 months from 12 Oct., inst., interest free for that time, being the Corporation proportion of £1500 awarded to said Fitton by the Corporation and other proprietors of the Pipe Water, in consideration of said Fitton's performing his part of the covenants and conditions mentioned in a certain award made and published on said 12 Oct., by the arbitrators appointed on behalf of the Corporation and said Fitton, in suits depending between them.

That the Rt. Hon. Gen. Burgoyne, Com^r.-in-Chief of H. M. Forces in this Kingdom, be presented with his freedom in a silver box.

That a lease of 31 years (in order to erect a market thereon) be taken by the Mayor, &c., from the Mayor and Constables of the Staples of the ground opposite the Corn Market, (formerly granted by the Corporation of this City to the Mayor and Constables of the Staple for ever, at a peppercorn a year, in trust for the poor of Skiddy's Alms House), at the yearly rent of 100 guineas, payable half-yearly; *It.*, that £73 1*s.* 10½*d.* be paid to Messrs. Morrison, Fuller, and McCarthy, for timber; *It.*, that £198 be paid to Saml. Hobbs, joiner, for work done; *It.*, £13 2*s.* 8*d.* be paid Messrs. Morrison, Fuller, and McCarthy, for timber supplied for the use of S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £30 19*s.* to Messrs. Izod and Busteed, for candles.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton; Burgess Browne, Izod, Morrison, Harding, and Mr. C. S.

12 *Nov.*, 1782.

Ordered, that the Mayor provide a new Cap of Maintenance and Gown for the Sword Bearer.

That George Baker, mercht., having served Paul Baker and W^m. Leycester, *do.;* Thomas Lindsay, Esq., son of Mr. Sheriff Lindsay; Robert Kent, mercht., having served Sober Kent, *do.;* Joseph Kent, eldest son of Mr. Mayor; Thomas Tuckey, gent., eldest son of Mr. Sterne Tuckey; Henry Browne Hayes, gent., eldest son of Mr. Attwell H.; Thomas O'Driscoll, gent., having served Thomas Chatterton, Esq.; Daniel Connor, gent., eldest son of Roger C., Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

That a guinea and half be paid to Norris Ballard, for her trouble at the Mayor's Office; *It.*, that £5 be paid Mr. James Magrath, half-year's salary for instructing the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en. Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Lawton, Harding, W. Travers; Burgess Browne and Izod.

15 *Nov.*, 1782.

That Mark Milbank, Esq., Vice Admiral of the Blue, now in the Harbour

of Cork, be presented with his freedom in a silver box; also Sir John Jervois, Knt., Capt. H. M. Ship Foudrayant, in a silver box; and Archibald Dickson, Esq., Capt. H. M. Ship Dublin; George Keppel, Esq., Capt. H. M. Ship Fortitude; Robt. Limonton, Esq., Capt. H. M. Ship Panther; Rich^d. Boger, Esq., H. M. Ship Ocean, be presented with their freedoms.

That a pension of £20 a year be paid to the widow of the late W^m. Snowe, Esq., in testimony of his many services in the offices of Town Clerk and Clerk of the Crown and Peace; *It.*, that a C. D. H. be held on 25 Nov., to elect a Town Clerk for this City and County thereof in the room of the late Willm. Snowe, Esq., the person elected to hold the same during his good behaviour, and no longer.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Alde^n. Philpott, Bury, Wrixon, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Travers; Burgess Browne, Izod and Shaw, C. S.

4 *Dec.*, 1782.

A letter from Rt. Hon. John Hely Hutchinson, H. M. Princ. Sec. of State, to the Mayor, having been laid before the Council, mentioning the necessity and great utility of the embargo, and recommending an address of thanks to his Excellency for that salutary measure, and the Council being very sensible of the great benefit which this City and the Kingdom has received from his Excellencie's wise exertions in this great national measure; ordered, that an address of thanks be prepared accordingly, and that the common seal of the Corporation be affixed thereto, and that it be presented by the representatives for this City, if then in Dublin, if not by the Right Hon. John Hely Hutchinson; *It.*, that William Jones, Esq., is unanimously elected Clerk of the Council, and Notary Public for the City of Cork, and that said Jones be paid £50 yearly for his trouble; *It.*, that £13 19*s.* 9*d.* be paid Saml. Hobbs, for work done at S^t. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, 14*s.* 1*d.* to Mr. Rich^d. Purcell, for hat pins for the Council Chamber.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Alde^n. Bury, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding; Burgess Browne, Izod, and Mr. Shaw, C. S.

18 *Dec.*, 1782.

That his Excellency George Nugent, Earl Temple, Lo.-Lieut. of Ireland,

be presented with his freedom in a gold box; also W. W. Grenville, Esq., Sec. to his Excel., in a silver box.

That £50 be paid to the Mayor, to be equally distributed amongst the persons who prosecuted to conviction Thomas Connelly and Thomas Lee, Hosiers, for which they were publickly whipped; *It.*, £635 to Mr. Mayor, in addition to the sum of £365 ascertained for him in the C. D. H.; *It.*, £62 16*s.* to George Seymour, in full for his account; *It.*, £21 1*s.* 9*d.* to Walter Travers, so much expended by him when Mayor for the Corporation; *It.*, £49 5*s.* 4*d.* to Timothy Hughes, iron monger; *It.*, 4 guineas to John Snowe, Esq., admr. of W^m^. Snowe, Esq., for supplying the Council four years with pens, ink, and paper; *It.*, that W^m^. Jones be appointed Law Agent to the Corporation; *It.*, that power of attorney be prepared by the Law Agent for distraining several tenants, who are in arrears to this Corporation.

Resolved, that this Board will on all occasions give every assistance and encouragement to such persons as shall prosecute those who shall be concerned in combinations.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Baker, Travers; Mr. Browne and Izod.

18 *Jan.*, 1783.

Ordered, that in case the Mayor of the Staple should issue his warrant to distrain the tenants holding under the staple, that he shall be indemnified by this Board; *It.*, that £500 be paid, with such other sums as shall be subscribed for the importation of corn, and that it be sold at first cost, including the necessary charges under the direction of a Committee; that Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay, Mr. Shaw, C. S., and Ald. Harding, with such five as shall be chosen by the C. D. H., shall be Managers for the Corporation, and they with the persons to be chosen by the subscribers in the proportion of ten persons for every £500 to be subscribed, shall be a committee for the management of this business.

Whereas it appears to this Board, by the oath of John Fitzgerald, one of the Lamp Contractors of this City, that deficiencies amounting to £61 16*s.* 8½*d.* have arisen in the money appointed by the Mayor, &c., for erecting Lamps, &c., by the death, removal, insolvency, &c., of several of

the tenants, &c., of several of the dwelling-houses, &c., in this City and suburbs; It is ordered, that £61 16*s.* 8½*d.* be added to the sum appointed for erecting, &c., the lamps of said City and suburbs from 1 Oct., 1782, to 1 Oct., 1783; *It.*, 5 guineas to Counc. Lane, for his attendance on the Mayor, holding different courts, and for his advice to him during the illness of the Recorder.

Present—Sober Kent, Mayor; John Thompson and John Lindsay, Sheriffs; Jos. Wetherall and John Shaw, C. S.

31 *Jan.*, 1783.

That Percy Rugge, eldest son of Henry R., merch^t.; Jackson Walsh Delacourt, eldest son of Robt. D., Esq.; Philip Tarrant, cooper, having served Thomas Harris, *do.;* John Marsh, Esq., to be presented in a silver box, in testimony of the high esteem this Board entertains of his good services as Commissary since his residence in Cork; Rev^d. Henry Newman, son of Adam N., Esq., Senior Ald. of this City; Francis Hely Hutchinson, son of Rt. Hon. J. H. H.; Hon^l. Hugh Massey, eldest son of Lord Massey; Rev^d. Henry Cossart, eldest son of John C., *dec.;* Rev^d. John Digby, eldest son of John D., merch^t.; W^m. Digby, merch^t., having served John D., *do.;* Francis Austen, gent., eldest son of Sampson A.; Michael Foot, gent., having served Christ. Knight, *do.;* John Gibson, cooper, having served Gibbs Ross, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lindsay; Alde^n. Bury, Wrixon, Wetherall, Webb, Butler, Travers, Harding, W. Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Shawe.

18 *Feb.*, 1783.

That Francis Creed, of Ballycrenan, co. Limerick, gent., eldest son of Francis C., *dec.;* Ferdinand Spiller, merch^t., having served Thos. Burnett; Lionel Becher, Esq., eldest son of Edward B., Esq.; John Barnes, eldest son of Thomas B., merch^t., *dec.;* John Warner, glazier, having served Rich^d. Burt, *do.*, *dec.*, and Peter Warner; Richard Daunt, jun., gent., having served W^m. Heard, *do.*, *dec.;* John Brookes, butcher, eldest son of Saml. Brookes, Exchange keeper; Henry Knight, chandler, at the request of Mr. Mayor; W^m. Kennedy, cooper, at the request of Mr. Sheriff Thompson; Peter Eason, Jun., merch^t., at the request of Sheriff Lindsay; George Seymour, pewterer; James Goddart, Butler, eldest son of John B., Esq.; Rt.

Hon. John Forster, eldest son of the late Chief Baron F.; Henry Pomeroy, Esq., eldest son of Arthur P., Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £49 7*s.* 1*d.* be paid to Francis Carleton, Esq., his expenses when Mayor, in defending different suits prosecuted against him.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Webb, Butler, Travers, Harding, Carleton, Swete, Owgan; Mr. Browne and Izod.

11 *March*, 1783.

Ordered, that Mr. Mayor do purchase 100 barrels of coal for the Corporation; *It.*, £121 6*s.* 5*d.* to W^m^. Reynolds, for work done.

That Peter Carey, gent., eldest son of Peter C., Esq.; John FitzSimons. gent., eldest son of Charles F., *do.;* Thomas Flyn, gent., having served James Gregg, *do.;* Rev^d^. Henry Sandiford, Chaplain to the Corporation; Timothy Hughes, ironmonger; Joshua White, mercht., having served Henry W., *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., 100 guineas to Henry Wrixon, Esq., towards rebuilding S. Peter's Church.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, W. Travers, Harding; Burgess Browne, Izod, and Shaw, C. S.

28 *March*, 1783.

No members attending the Mayor was obliged to adjourn.—W. Jones, Clk. of Council.

1 *April*, 1783.

That the Rt. Hon^l^. Walter Hussey Burgh, Lo. Chief Baron of H. M. Exchequ., be presented with his freedom in a silver box.

Ordered, that James Roche be paid a salary of £20 a year, as long as he shall continue organist of Christ Church or this Board shall think proper; *It.*, 3 guineas to Mary Ballard, widow of Norris Ballard, *dec.*, half a year's wages due.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsey; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Webb, Harding, Carleton, W. Travers, Travers; Mr. Izod and Browne.

25 *April*, 1783.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—John Snowe, Dep. Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr Mayor, Sher. Thompson; Aldᵉⁿ. Philpott, Webb, J. Travers, Butler, Owgan, J. Harding, W. Travers; Mr. Burgess Browne and Mr. C. S.

29 *April*, 1783.

That Peter Dumas, eldest son of James D., mercht.; Rodolphus Kent, having served Jaˢ. Gregg, *do.;* John FitzGerald Tisdall, gent., eldest son of Revᵈ. Michæl T.; Henry John Hardaway, butcher, eldest son of Thomas H., *do.;* John Vereker, merchᵗ., eldest son of Thomas V.; Charles Willcocks, gent., eldest son of William W., burgess; Charles Creed, gent., eldest son of Francis C., *do.;* Thomas Seymour, cabinet-maker, having served Thomas Cochran, *do.;* Robᵗ. Pratt, merchᵗ., having served Henry Sadlier, *do.;* John Terry, gent., eldest son of John T., *do.;* Marmaduke Cramer, gent., only son of Marmaduke C., Esq., Ald.; Richard Cox, Esq., eldest son of the late Abp. of Cashel; Joseph, son of Richard Smy, having served George Baker, cooper; John Boles, merchᵗ., having served Sampson Austen, *do.;* William Cotter, having served Thos. Browne, Jun., merchᵗ.; John Herbert Orpen, Esq.; Charles Evanson, Woollen Draper, to be admitted freemen at large.

That £20 be paid yearly to Ald. Travers, in addition to what was before paid him, in consideration of the very great expense he has been at in providing proper lodgings and servants for the Judges of Assize, and the great attendance now required by the Sheriffs; *It.*, that such stalls in the shambles as are out of lease shall be set up to public auction; *It.*, that £48 3*s.* 3½*d.* be paid Sampson Austen, in full for his account; *It.*, that £35 8*s.* 2½*d.* be paid said Austen for clothing furnished for the Boys in the Blue Coat Hospital.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lindsay; Aldᵉⁿ. Philpott, Wetherall, Wrixon, Webb, Travers, Butler, Harding; Mr. Browne, Izod, Harding, and Shaw, C. S.

21 *June*, 1783.

No business for want of a sufficient number.—Wᵐ. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Travers, Lawton, Harding; Mr. Izod, and Shaw.

25 *June*, 1783.

Ordered, that £3 6*s.* 11*d.* be paid Mr. Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicines supplied S. Stephen's Hospital, and £6 for one year's attendance at said Hospital.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Lawton; Mr. Harding, Shaw, C. S., and Izod.

9 *July*, 1783.

No members attending, except those in the margin, the mayor was obliged to break up.—W^m^. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Lindsay; Ald^en^. Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Lawton, Travers, Harding, and Mr. Izod.

11 *July*, 1783.

Ordered, that 30 guineas be paid Mr. Mayor for providing an entertainment at Blackrock on 1 Aug.; *It.*, that Sober Kent, Esq., Mayor, be joined to Ald. Harding, Burgess Browne and Rowland, as one of the Committee to repair Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms houses.

That Palliser Wheeler, Esq., eldest son of Oliver W., *dec.;* Robert Browne, merch^t^., eldest son of Thos. B., Jun., *do.;* Thomas Malowny, woolcomber, having served Mr. Humphry Crowly; Abraham Wood, merch^t^., eldest son of Mich^l^. Wood, clothier; John Morgan of Dunmanway, eldest son of Jonathan M., merch^t^., *dec.;* Jasper Lucas, merch^t^., eldest son of Jasper L., Esq.; George Daunt, cooper, having served John Baker and John Cole; William Sadlier, merch^t^., having served Henry Harding, Esq.; George Knox, laceman, eldest son of Thomas K., silversmith, *dec.;* Corn^s^. Townsend, Esq., eldest son of Horatio T., Esq., *dec.;* William Edmonds, cooper, having served Paul Baker; Saml. Austen, Jun., merch^t^., having served his father, Saml. A. Russell Wood, gent., eldest son of Attwell W., Esq., one of H. M. Sergeants-at-Law; Henry Joseph Heard, gent., eldest son of Henry H., merch^t^.; Robert Sealy, Esq., eldest son of George S., Esq.; Thomas Kennedy, cooper, eldest son of William K., *do.*, be admitted freemen.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Wrixon, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Izod and Harding.

18 *July*, 1783.

No members attending but those in the margin, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—W. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Baker, Carleton; Mr. Browne, and Allen, C. S.

28 *July*, 1783.

That Thomas Fennell, butcher, having served Thomas Hardaway, *do.*; Robert Crone, Esq., eldest son of John C., gent.; Robert Evans, sadler, eldest son of W^m^. E., late of Corke, shipwright; Thomas Widenham, eldest son of the Rev^d^. Danl. W.; James Hugh Smith Barry, Esq., eldest son of Hon^l^. John Smith Barry; Sir Rich^d^. Cox, Bart., eldest son of Sir Mich^l^. C., Bart.; Hugh Massey, Esq., eldest son of Hon^l^. Hugh M.; Sir Henry Cavendish, Bart., eldest son of Sir Henry C., Bart., *dec.*; Richard Kellett, merch^t^., eldest son of Rich^d^. K., Esq., Mayor Elect; Edward Strettell, Esq., eldest son of Thos. S., merch^t^.; Thomas Harding, gent., eldest son of John H., Esq., *dec.*; Clement Sadlier, merch^t^., having served Henry Sadlier, *do.*; George Rose, of Rathkeale, gent., eldest son of Thomas R., gent.; Christopher Rose, having served his father, Thomas R., of Rathkeale, co. Limerick, shopkeeper; Rich^d^. Rose, having served his father, the said Thomas R.; Danl. Perdrian, merch^t^., eldest son of Danl. P., late of Cork, merch^t^., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

That 40 guineas be paid W^m^. Jones, Town Clerk, for the extraordinary trouble he had been at in the regulation of the office, and the books thereof.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Lawton, Harding; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Allen, C. S.

9 *Aug.*, 1783.

Ordered, that the Gateage and other tolls and market dues be set by public cant (conditions as usual); *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Water Bailiff, salary £60 (on the usual conditions).

That Ralph Westropp, of Attyflinn, co. Limerick, Esq., eldest son of John

Westropp, late of Lisinahen, Co. Clare; William Clark, gent., eldest son of Willm. C., merch^t.; Luke Foreman, merch^t., having served Jasper Lucas, *do.*; John Lester, cooper, having served John Kift, *do.*; William Hughes, ironmonger, eldest son of Timothy H., *do.*; Ruby Flynn, cooper, having served Andrew Hill, *do.*; Thomas Chute, cooper, eldest son of Thomas C., late of Corke, merch^t., *dec.*; Lieut. Thomas Croker, H. M. Navy, eldest son of Rich^d. C., Esq., late of Youghal, *dec.*; Thomas Williamson, cooper, having served Will. Lane, *do.*; Thomas Smith, Esq., eldest son of Charles S., of the City of Limerick, Esq.; Richard Heacocke, gent., eldest son of John H., cooper, be admitted freemen at large.

We do hereby appoint Thomas White, of the City of Corke, gent.; John King, Thomas Roche, and Peter Joyce, merch^ts., and Francis Conway, house carpenter, of the Parish of S. Nicholas; Jonathan Morgan, John Bass, Saml. Cooper, and John Anderson, merch^ts., and John Nicolson, silversmith, of the Holy Trinity; Gibbs Ross, merch^t., Willm. Harris, of Ballinaspig, Abraham Lane, brewer, and George Patten, of Bellview, gent., of the Parish of S. Finbarry, valuators instead of those formerly appointed for said parishes, for the purposes mentioned in an Act for the better regulating the Police of the City of Corke, &c.; and we appoint Joseph Harrison and David Fitzgerald, merch^ts., of the Parish of S. Mary Shandon, valuators instead of John Shea, and John Moylan. The order for admitting John Jackson, erased, having been entered by mistake.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Ald^en. Bury, Wrixon, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Owgan, Harding; Mr. Browne, and Allen, C. S.

25 *Sep.*, 1783.

That His Excell. Robert, Earl of Northington, Lo.-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a Gold box; also the Rt. Hon. Thomas Pelham, Prin. Sec. to the Lo.-Lieut., in a Silver box.

That £66 4*s.* 11*d.* be paid Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £25 18*s.* 3½*d.* to Will. Flaherty, mason, for work done; *It.*, £4 13*s.* 3*d.* to said Flaherty for work done for Skiddy's and Bretridge's alms houses; *It.*, £108 6*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. John Jappie, for coal barrels supplied; *It.*, £32 16*s.* 6*d.* to Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, for work done; *It.*, £91 0*s.* 1½*d.* to Will. Flynn, printer, for work done; *It.*, £27 8*s.* 6½*d.* to John Snowe, Esq., adm^r. of

Will. Snowe, Esq., *dec.*, in full for his account; *It.*, £28 10*s.* 7*d.* to George Barber, upholsterer, for work done; *It.*, £17 3*s.* 8*d.* to Saml. Andrews, painter, for work done; *It.*, 10 guineas to Mr. Thos. Mannix, for business done; *It.*, £3 12*s.* 0½*d.* to Mary Ballard, widow, half year's salary for sweeping the Mayor's office.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Thompson and Lindsay; Aldᵉⁿ. Swete, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding, Carleton, Bury, Baker; Mr. Browne, and Harding.

6 *Nov.*, 1783.

Richard Kellett, Esq., Mayor.

No members attending but those named in the margin, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—Wᵐ. Jones, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Kent, and Mr. Browne.

12 *Nov.*, 1783.

Ordered, that £34 8*s.* 6½*d.* be paid Sober Kent, Esq., amount of his account; *It.*, £50 yearly to Hugh Millerd, Esq., Dep. Recorder, for advising the Mayor, &c., when they may have occasion; *It.*, £42 6*s.* 9½*d.* to Wᵐ. Jones in full for his account.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Wrixon, Maylor, Webb, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Kent; Mr. Browne, and Izod.

9 *Dec.*, 1783.

Ordered, that a Memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., to the House of Commons for excepting the Court of Conscience out of the Bill now depending, to prevent frivolous and vexatious arrests, a copy to be sent to our representatives and our Recorder, and a letter of thanks be written to Counc. Chatterton by the Clerk in the name of the Council; *It.*, that Ald. Harding, Sher. Shawe, Ald. Butler and Owgan be a committee to examine the tradesmen's accounts; *It.*, £23 13*s.* 10½*d.* to Will Mahony, tyler, &c., work done; *It.*, £6 10*s.* 11½*d.* to said Mahony for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £635 to Mr. Mayor in addition to £365 ascertained for him

in the C. D. H.; *It.*, that Ald. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coal for the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Ald^en^. Swete, Wetherall, Baker, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Kent, and Mr. Allen, C. S.

19 *Dec.*, 1783.

No members attending but those in the margin, no business could be done.—W^m^. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, the Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Baker, Lawton, Owgan, and Kent.

23 *Dec.*, 1783.

Ordered, that a posting be put up on the Exchange, that a C. D. H. will be held at the Guildhall on 5 Jan., to elect an Ald. of the Ward in the room of John Wrixon, Esq., *dec.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Butler, Lawton, Travers, W. Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Allen, C. S.

5 *Jan.*, 1784.

The members attending not being sufficient to make a Council, they thought it right it should be summoned for to-morrow, as the election for a Member of Parliament was to begin on Wednesday, and several Petitions for freedoms, from persons who have undoubted rights, have been presented, it is thought they should be disposed of before the election commenced.—W^m^. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Ald^en^. Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Kent; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Allen, C. S.

6 *Jan.*, 1784.

That John Fuller, grocer, having served Richard and Thomas Fuller; Abraham Carthrow, clothier, having served Richard Lane, *do.*; Jonathan Bruce, Clk., eldest son of George B., Esq., *dec.*; Edward Cotter, mercht., having served John Cotter, *do.*; James Cotter, mercht., having served Greatrakes Smyth and John Cotter; Edward Leslie, Esq., eldest son of James, late Lo. Bishop of Limerick, *dec.*; Walter Williams, gent., eldest son of Thomas W., *do.*; Richard Woodward, shoemaker, eldest son of Richard W., chandler;

Mathew Franks, atty., having served Charles Widenham, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Alden. Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Baker, Webb; Mr. Browne, Morrison, Allen, C. S., and Izod.

16 *Jan.*, 1784.

Whereas this Board has been applied to, and a paper laid before them containing heads of an Act of Parliament for making wide and convenient streets, ways, and passages in the City of Corke and suburbs thereof, and erecting a Bridge or Bridges in said suburbs when the same shall be thought necessary. And the concurrence of this Board, with the approbation of the C. D. H., has been requested to join the application to Parliament for obtaining a law agreeable to said heads. Ordered, that a C. D. H. be held at the Guildhall, 24 Jan. inst., to lay said paper before the Court, to determine whether the Board shall join in such application.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Alden. Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Kent, Morrison, Baker; Mr. Morrison, Allen, C. S., and Browne.

2 *Feb.*, 1784.

The members named in the margin only attending, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—Wm. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Alden. Wetherall, Butler, Owgan, Harding, Kent; Mr. Browne, Izod, and C. S.

3 *Feb.*, 1784.

Ordered, that the sum of £100 be paid to Mr. Mayor, to be given to the different committees appointed in the several Parishes for distributing the money collected for the relief of the poor this inclement season; *It.*, that £67 18*s.* 5*d.* be paid Francis Cotterell, architect, work done for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £3 6*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Jones, for Bullingbroke's Abridgement and Vesey's Appendix; *It.*, £38 8*s.* 7*d.* to Mr. Reynolds, silversmith, for work done; *It.*, £21 11*s.* to Mr. Sampson Austen, in full for his account.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Alden. Wetherall, Butler, Owgan, Harding, Kent; Mr. Browne, and Allen, C. S.

11 *Feb.*, 1784.

No other members attending, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—W. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Aldᵉⁿ. Butler, Owgan, Kent, and Mr. Izod.

12 *Feb.*, 1784.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., have proposed purchasing from Mr. Maurice Ahern 440 bags of oatmeal, at a cost of £500, which they purpose selling at first cost at such times as they shall see the necessities of the inhabitants, the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S. are impowered to purchase and sell the bags of oatmeal; ordered, that any loss may be made good out of the Corporation revenues.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Harding, Kent; Mr. Browne and Allen, C. S.

19 *April*, 1784.

Ordered, on the petition of several of the late and former Sheriffs, that the Corporation Agent do take such steps in Dublin as shall be necessary to bring the rights of the Corporation to the fines and forfeited recognizances arising in this City, and to clear the accounts of the former Sheriffs, and that the present Mayor, Sheriffs, and Ald. Harding be a committee to direct the business.

That Mr. Thomas Busteed, of Ballinrea, at the request of Sheriff Shaw, his brother-in-law, and Mr. Armiger Sealy, mercht., at the request of Mr. Sher. Waggett, his brother-in-law, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw; Aldᵉⁿ. Lawton, Harding, Carleton, Baker, Webb, Owgan, Butler, Kent; Mr. C. S., Browne, and Morrison.

22 *April*, 1784.

That Peter Baker, gent., son of Ald. Godfrey B.; James Morrison, gent., Lieut. H. M. 3ᵈ Regt. of Foot, son of Burgess Morrison; Edward Allin, shipwright; James Sadlier, cotton manufacturer; Thomas Ware, of Webbville, South Liberties, gent.; Thomas Henry Coppinger, Esq., at the request of Mr. Mayor; and John Harling, having served Will. Willcocks, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £300, due by the Corporation deed to the City and County Annuity Society, with interest, &c., be paid; *It.*, that an advertisement be inserted in the News Papers, that this Board will receive proposals from persons disposed to undertake lighting the Lamps of this City for any term not exceeding three years; *It.*, that £3 8*s.* 3*d.* be paid Mary Ballard, half a year's wages for cleaning the Mayor's Office; *It.*, £6 0*s.* 5*d.* to Heylen Mayberry, his account; *It.*, £77 17*s.* 5*d.* to James and John Knight, printers; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange, that the Mayor will receive proposals from persons willing to undertake the roofing and flooring an outhouse belonging to S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, that no printing work be paid for as done, but by an order in writing from the Mayor; *It.*, that Mr. Kent do call upon the several persons employed by the Corporation to furnish their accounts every quarter of a year; *It.*, that no works but of immediate necessity be undertaken without an order being given by this Board.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Ald^en^. Baker, Webb, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Kent; Mr. Browne, Izod, Morrison, and Mr. C. S.

29 *May*, 1784.

No members attending, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—Ed. Roche Kinselagh, Acting Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett; Ald^en^. Travers, Butler, Harding, and Mr. C. S.

18 *June*, 1784.

Ordered, that a posting be put up on the Exchange, that a C. D. H. will be held at the Guildhall on Thursday, 1 July, for electing a Coroner in the room of John Sullivan, gent., *dec.*; *It.*, £20 to James Magrath, for two years instruction of the Boys of the Blue Coat Hospital in singing.

That Thomas Pope, gent., eldest son of Richard P., mercht.; Lewillin Nash, Esq., eldest son of Rev^d^. Will. Nash, *dec.*; William Allin, ship-carpenter, eldest son of Edward Allen, shipwright; Henry Wigmore, cooper, having served Arthur Achteson, be admitted freemen at large.

That Saml. Brookes, the Exchange keeper, be superannuated, salary 6

guineas a year; *It.*, £3 0*s.* 8*d.* to Saml. Brookes, for newspapers provided for the Council Chamber.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett; Ald^en^. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Butler, Lawton, Harding, W. Travers, Kent, Maylor, Webb, Owgan; Mr. C. S.

24 *June*, 1784.

No members attending, than those named, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—W. Jones, Clk. of the Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding, Kent; Mr. Izod, and Mr. C. S.

26 *June*, 1784.

Ordered, that £67 2*s.* 8*d.* be paid Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, when he shall have erected a necessary out-house at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £48 5*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Mayor, for a carpet, &c., for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coal; *It.*, that Ald. Harding and Kent, and Mr. Browne be a committee for examining the accounts of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses; *It.*, that the Waterbailiff do furnish the account of his receipts and expenditure to 24 inst.; *It.*, that Ald. Harding, Mr. Izod, and Sher. Waggett be a committee, with those chosen by the C. D. H., for inspecting the Chamberlain's accounts.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding, Kent; Mr. Izod, and Allen, C. S.

21 *July*, 1784.

Ordered, that 30 guineas be paid Mr. Mayor to provide an entertainment at Blackrock 2 Aug.

In pursuance of an Act, &c., for the regulation of the City, &c., we, the Mayor, &c., do fix 1000 globe lamps with single burners, good Turkey cotton wick yarn of 8 threads, as necessary for said City and suburbs. That 299 be erected in the parish of the Holy Trinity, 191 in the parish of S. Peter, 99 in the parish of S. Paul; 235 in the parishes of S^t^. Mary and S. Ann Shandon, 176 in the parishes of S. Finbarry and S. Nicholas and South suburbs; and further, that said Lamps be lighted on 1 Sep. at sun setting, and continue lighting every night from thence till sun rising, to 1 May next, to be lighted with good rape seed oil or good fish oil, &c., and we fix the sum

of 14*s.* 7½*d.* as the expenses of each globe lamp, with the heading, burner, and lamp iron, and we fix the sum of £1 7*s.* for lighting, trimming, and replacing each lamp.

That James Fitter, Esq., son-in-law to the Mayor, be admitted a freeman.

That £50 be paid Rev^d^. Archdeacon Corker towards building a new Church at Lower Glanmire, provided a seat shall be erected in said Church for the use of the Corporation; *It.*, £50 to Messrs. John Shaw, Jasper Lucas, Aylmer Allen, and Julius Besnard, towards the new Church now erecting at Douglas, provided a seat shall be erected in said Church for the use of the Corporation; *It.*, that a new green cloth be provided for the Council Chamber.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Kent, Lawton, Baker, and Mr. Browne.

25 *Aug.*, 1784.

Ordered, that the tolls and other market dues be set by public cant (usual terms); *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Water Bailiff for one year, salary £60 (duties as usual); *It.*, that a reward of £20 be paid for the conviction of each of the first five persons who were concerned in committing the outrage on the person of Benj. Duke on 24 inst.; *It.*, £45 19*s.* 2½*d.* to Messrs. Izod and Co. for candles; *It.*, £71 17*s.* 3½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £67 11*s.* 10*d.* to said Hobbs for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £8 10*s.* 1*d.* to Mr. Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicines for S. Stephen's Hospital from 21 June, 1783, to 23 Aug., 1784; *It.*, £6 to said Peace for one year's attendance on said Hospital; *It.*, £31 12*s.* 4*d.* to Timothy Hughes, ironmonger, for work done; *It.*, £25 18*s.* 6½*d.* to Messrs. John and Robt. Baldwin for printing work; *It.*, £35 19*s.* 11*d.* to John Shaw and Thomas Waggett, Esq^rs^., Sheriffs, extra expenses in removing different prisoners to Dublin; *It.*, £20 12*s.* 3*d.* to Messrs. Penrose and Fisher for timber supplied; *It.*, £10 13*s.* 10*d.* to Messrs. Fuller and McCarthy for timber for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £56 5*s.* 5*d.* to said Fuller and McCarthy for timber for the Corporation; *It.*, £4 18*s.* 6½*d.* to John and Robt. Baldwin for printing work done by directions of the Treasurer of the Cork Association for the benefit of the Public.

That Lieut. Patrick Blair, eldest son of Patrick Blair, Esq., be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Ald^en^. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Kent, W. Travers; Mr. Browne, Izod, and C. S.

23 *Sep.*, 1784.

Ordered, that the Mayor and Sheriffs for the time being, Ald^en^. Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding, Kent, members of Council, the C. S., Burgess Wrixon, Rowland, Perry, Pedder, Mr. Penrose, and W^m^. Clarke, members of the C. D. H., be a committee to compare the heads of the bill for building bridges in said City and suburbs, and report; *It.*, that Sher. Waggett, Ald^en^. Harding, and Mr. Browne, with those appointed by C. D. H., be a committee for auditing the Chamberlain's accounts; *It.*, £3 8*s.* 3*d.* to Mary Ballard for cleaning the Mayor's office and lighting fires; *It.*, £28 11*s.* 9*d.* to the Mayor for newspapers; *It.*, £3 2*s.* 6*d.* to James Withers, his account.

That Richard Devonshire Newenham, Esq., eldest son of John N., Esq.; Robert Arthur, cooper, having served Will. Dyer; George Thompson, merch^t.^, having served Messrs. Denroche and Thompson; William Jackson, eldest son of Francis J., cooper; Charles Newman, Esq., son of Adam N., Esq., Sen. Ald.; Leonard Potter, gent., having served W^m^. Heard, *do.*; James Halburd, gent., having served Thos. Chatterton, Esq.; Emanuel Hutchinson, gent., Lieut. 64 Reg. of Foot; Baldwin Sealy, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Shaw and Waggett; Ald^en^. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Carleton, W. Travers, Kent, Harding, Owgan; Mr. Browne, and Burgess Harding.

14 *Oct.*, 1784.

James Morrison, Esq., Mayor.

The Sheriffs sworn Common Council men.

We appoint James Knight, gent., in the place of Francis Dorman, valuator for the Parish of S. Finbarry; *It.*, that £18 9*s.* 10*d.* be paid to Richard Kellett, Esq., late Mayor, and John Shaw and Thos. Waggett, Esq., late Sheriffs, so much paid by them for the maintenance of different persons confined in Bridewell, and prosecuting offenders against the law.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Ald^en^. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Kent, Kellett; Mr. Browne and Izod.

27 *Oct.*, 1784.

Ordered, that an application be made to Parliament in the name of the Mayor, &c., to obtain an act that the Mayor, &c., shall be vested with sufficient power for carrying into execution in this City, and complying with the directions of an act passed for regulating the corn trade of this kingdom, &c., and that the Town Clerk prepare the necessary instructions for such act.

That John Prendergast Smith, Esq., be presented by the Town Clerk with his freedom at large.

Ordered, that £12 5*s.* 9½*d.* be paid John Barter Bennett, his account for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £6 16*s.* 1*d.* to the execrs. of Sampson Austen, their account; *It.*, £4 9*s.* 6*d.* to said execrs., their account against S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £37 2*s.* 10½*d.* to Hugh Lawton, Esq., incidental expenses at S. Stephen's Hospital from Jan., 1781, to 20 July, 1784; *It.*, £93 9*s.* 11*d.* to the Law Agent for sundry bills of costs; *It.*, £35 1*s.* 3½*d.* to George Seymour, pewterer, his account; *It.*, £10 0*s.* 11½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, his account; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, Ald. Travers, and Harding be a committee to examine the accounts of the tradesmen; *It.*, that the Mayor do apply to Mr. John Snowe for all such papers belonging to the Corporation as were in the hands of the late Mr. Snowe at his death, and that Mr. J. Snowe do bring them to the council; *It.*, that 2 guineas be paid to Thos. Cotter, a poor freeman who has been employed in serving summonses.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Aldn. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Kent; Mr. Browne and Izod.

16 *Nov.*, 1784.

That Solomon Newsom, son of Mr. Moses N.; Richard Aldworth, of Ann's Grove, Esq.; Bont Ball, Esq., Capt. 63 Reg. Foot; Thomas Duggan, cooper, having served Isaac Jones, *do.;* William Allen, brewer, having served Philip Allen, Esq.; Richard Whitney, cooper, having served John Jappie, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

That the Reps. of Thomas Hawes, tyler, *dec.*, be allowed £69 18*s.* 11*d.*, his account against the Corporation out of £91 1*s.*, arrears of rent out of three houses under the Court House; *It.*, £2 7*s.* 7*d.* to M. Mahony, Dep. Chamberlain.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Allen; Aldᵉⁿ. Philpott, Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Rowland, Butler, Lawton, Harding, Carleton, Kent, Owgan, Travers, Sher. Crowly; Mr. Browne, Izod, Kellett, and C. S.

30 *Nov.*, 1784.

Ordered, that on the application of the Revᵈ. Archdeacon Forsayeth liberty be given to make use of the names of the Mayor, &c., in suing for the recovery of an estate devised by the will of Capt. Thomas Deane for the use of the Charity School and Alms House in the Parish of S. Peter, in the City of Corke, they being indemnified from all costs.

That John Wright, of Ballincollogh, Co. Cork, gent.; William Roche, gent.; Richard Townsend, Esq., Doctor of Physic; and Charles Henry Leslie, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

That the several fines imposed from 26 Oct. last until 26 Oct. next at the assizes and sessions held for the City and Co. of City of Cork be granted by the Mayor, &c., to the Governors for the use of the workhouse.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Aldᵉⁿ. Bury, Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Kent; Mr. Izod, and Sadlier, C. S.

7 *Dec.*, 1784.

No other members attending than those named, the Mayor was obliged to break up.—Wᵐ. Jones, Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Harding, Kent, and Mr. Izod.

16 *Dec.*, 1784.

Whereas the draft of the Act for widening streets, building bridges, &c., has been laid before this Board, It is the opinion of this Board that the Committee be the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., Ald. Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding, Kent, Mr. Browne and Izod, to examine said Act; ordered, that they call to their assistance Counᶜʳˢ. Chatterton and Millerd, and such other Lawyer as they think proper, and report. *It.*, that £635 be paid the Mayor, in addition to £365 by the C. D. H.

That Charles McCarthy, timber merchant; Major Maximilian Favieré; Massy Hutchinson, Esq.; John Newman, cooper, having served Zacharias Parrott, and Gibbs Ross *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Crowly; Alden. Bury, Wetherall, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Carleton, Kent; Mr. Izod and Mr. C. S.

30 *Dec.*, 1784.

That His Grace Charles, Duke of Rutland, Lo.-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a gold box by our Representatives as shall be in Dublin, and our Recorder, together with the following address:

"To His Grace, &c. The Humble Petition of the Mayor, &c. May it please your Grace.

"We, the Mayor, &c., of the City of Corke, beg to assure your Grace of our inviolable attachment to His Majesty's person and government, our high respect for those manly virtues which are the hereditary ornaments of your Grace's family and character, and our reverence for the laws and constitution of our country. Though peculiarly solicitous from every circumstance of situation and interest, for the establishment of such a commercial system as may more effectually promote the trade and manufactures of this Kingdom, yet we seek for those benefits by constitutional means alone, and impressed with the deepest sense of the inestimable acquisitions in commerce obtained by this Kingdom during his Maj. reign, we trust with a wide-grounded confidence in the experienced goodness of our Sovereign, and your Grace's powerful assistance, that in your administration the great work will be completed by the attainment of such further advantages as may be necessary for our real happiness and permanent interest."

That the Rt. Hon. Thomas Orde, Sec. to His Grace the Lord-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a silver box, also Sir Alexander Scomberg, Capt. of H. M. Yacht Dorset.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Alden. Bury, Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Maylor, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Kent; Mr. Browne and Izod.

19 *Jan.*, 1785.

Ordered, that the house now inhabited by Mrs. Kennedy, the house and concerns occupied by Mr. Marrett, now in the possession of Mr. Burnett, the dwelling-house in the tenancy of Mrs. Jappie, and the dwelling-house in the possession of the Miss Johnsons, fronting the Mall or Grand Parade, with the back concerns thereto belonging, and with all the large tract of

ground backwards of said houses, be taken by the Mayor, &c., from Mr. Richard Barlow, of London, or such person as shall appear to have a title, and be qualified to make a lease thereof, for the term of 999 years to commence at such time as the Mayor, &c., shall agree, at a yearly rent of £196 18*s.* 6*d.*; *It.*, that 100 Barrels of Coal be bought by Ald. Kent for the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Allen; Ald^en^. Bury, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Kent; Mr. Browne and Harding.

14 *March*, 1785.

Ordered, that the Mayor shall have liberty to have such work as he shall think necessary done to the chimneys of the Mayoralty House.

That Abraham Forster of Ballymalooe, gent., be admitted free.

It., that an application be made to Parliament for an Act for building a Bridge over the North Channel or branch of the River Lee, &c., the charges attending said Act to be advanced by the Chamberlain to the Town Clerk out of the Corporation revenues, to be repaid to the Mayor, &c., with lawful interest out of the first produce of the Tolls of said Bridge; *It.*, 10 guineas to Hugh Millerd, Esq., Dep.-Recorder, for perusing the Act relative to said Bridge; *It.*, that the Mayor write to our Representatives to apply to Parliament for leave to bring in said Bill.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly; Ald^en^. Bury, Wetherall, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Kent; Mr. Browne, Izod, and Mr. C. S.

1 *April*, 1785.

The resolution of the C. D. H. on 28 March, relative to the Bill for building a Bridge over the North branch of the River Lee having been considered, and it becoming necessary to have said Bill revised, in order to comply so far as this board have thought expedient, ordered, that the Corporation Agent do write to the Recorder before whom said Bill has been laid for perusal, to inform him that alterations are to be made therein, and that said Bill be not presented until such revision be properly had.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Allen; Ald^en^. Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, Sadlier, C. S., and Sher. Crowly.

29 *April*, 1785.

Ordered, on the application of Rev^d. Arch^d. Austen, that the order of Council of 30 Nov., made on the application of the late Arch^d. Forsayeth, be confirmed, on the like indemnity being procured by Arch^d. Austen as was procured by Arch^d. Forsayeth.

That Thomas Ware, eldest son of Thomas W., of Webbville, in the South Lib. of Cork; Usher Williamson, eldest son of Benj. W., gent.; Oliver Scott, merch^t., having served Edward Jameson, *do.*; Callaghan Holmes, merch^t., having served Henry Holmes, *do.*; Thomas Newenham, gent., eldest son of Thomas N., *do.*; Thomas Garde of the City of Dublin; William Penrose, of Corke, mercht., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £8 0*s.* 2½*d.* to the Mayor, expenses in maintaining Ja^s. Pigott, who prosecuted the coiners; *It.*, that the Tolls of the Fish Market be set by public auction on 9 May until 29 Sep. next; *It.*, £3 8*s.* 3*d.* to Mary Ballard, half-year's salary for keeping the Mayor's office; *It.*, that Samuel Lover be appointed gate-keeper to Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses, at £5 a year paid quarterly.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Allen; Ald^en. Wetherall, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding, Carleton; Mr. Izod, Browne, and C. S.

10 *May*, 1785.

This Board having taken into consideration the resolution of 1 April, ordered, that the draft of the Bill be written for to Dublin for the purpose of revising same, to be done with as much expedition as the nature of the business will admit, and when revised said draft to be referred to C. D. H.

Present—The Mayor, and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Harding, Carleton, Kent; Mr. Lawton, Sadlier, and C. S.

17 *May*, 1785.

Upon revising the draft of the Bill to be brought in for building a Bridge over the north branch of the river Lee, &c., ordered, that a clause be introduced into said Bill, saving the right of the persons concerned and interested in the Ferries which ply for hire over said river from the Custom House and Coal Quay to the opposite shore.

Ordered, that Doctor John Longfield, Richard Hare, Sen., Archdeacon

Chambre Corker, John Lapp, Will. Hare, Cooper Penrose, Pope Gray and George Newsom, Esq., be added to the number of Commissioners named in the draft of the Bill.

It., that the clauses respecting the Corn coming into the City for sale be expunged from said draft, as also the clause for stopping the gap in the Navigation Wall.

It., that the clauses necessary for amending the Laws for the better supplying the City with Pipe water, be added to said draft.

It., that the Draft of said Bill so altered be referred to the C. D. H., and if approved of, then said draft be laid before the Solicitor-General and Recorder for their opinions, whether the rights of the Mayor, &c., of the City of Corke can be affected by anything therein contained before same be presented to Parliament to be passed into a Law.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly; Alden. Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Webb, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Carleton; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and Mr. C. S.

28 *June*, 1785.

Ordered, that £3 2*s.* 5*d.* be paid to Mr. Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicines supplied to S. Stephen's Hospital from Sep. 1784 to June, 1785; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange, that this Board will receive proposals for roofing Shandon Guard House; *It.*, £33 3*s.* 10*d.* to Saml. Hobbs and Will. Flaherty, for making a stable for the use of the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £34 15*s.* 2*d.* to Messrs. Shawe and Evanson, in full for their account; *It.*, £20 10*s.* 4*d.* to the Corporation Agent, for business done in Dublin; *It.*, £14 18*s.* 9*d.* to Will. Jones, his account; *It.*, that no work be done to the Corporation, or paid for by them, but such as shall be done by directions of the Committee from time to time to be appointed by this Board; *It.*, that the Mayor to be elected for the ensuing year, Ald. Travers, Butler, and Harding to be a committee for the above purpose, until 29 Sep., 1786; *It.*, £63 4*s.* 11*d.* be paid to James and John Knight, for printing-work done; *It.*, £3 16*s.* 10*d.* to said J. and J. Knight, for printing-work done for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £37 11*s.* 7*d.* to Messrs. Fuller McCarthy and Co., for timber supplied.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Alden. Wetherall, Webb, Butler, Lawton, Baker; Mr. Izod, Travers, Rowland, and C. S.

20 *July*, 1785.

The Common Speaker sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that 10 guineas be paid William Coles, Esq., to be applied for the use of the Green Coat Hospital; *It.*, that a pension of £15 a year be paid to the widow of the late Burgess Browne, a member of this Council; *It.*, £10 a year to the widow of the late Burgess Cossart; *It.*, 30 guineas to the Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock on 1 Aug.; *It.*, £2 3*s.* 5*d.* to Thomas Trayer, block maker, for work done at the Mayoralty House.

That George Crofts, mercht., having served Paul Baker and Will. Leycester, *do.*; Henry Dugan, cooper, having served James Dixon and George Baker, *do.*, be admitted freemen; *It.*, £19 13*s.* 8*d.* to the Mayor Elect, Ald^en^. Travers, Butler, and Harding, to be expended by them in new roofing, slating, and finishing the roof of the Guard House at the North Meat Shambles, pursuant to estimate given in by Saml. Hobbs.

That the Rev^d^. Simon Davies, brother-in-law to Mr. Mayor, at the request of the Mayor; Saml. Neale, of Sundays Well, gent.; Richard Waller, Sol. to H. M. Revenue; Hon^l^. Joseph Hewett, M.P. Belfast, son to Rt. Hon. Lord High Chancellor of Ireland, in a Silver box; William Garde, of the City of Dublin, gent.; and Lieut. Hugh Cossart Baker, second son of Ald. Baker, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that Ald. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coal.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Ald^en^. Baker, Webb, Butler, Owgan, Kent, Travers, Lawton; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and Allen, C. S.

29 *July*, 1785.

Ordered, that a Proclamation be issued in the name of the Mayor, &c., offering a reward of 20 guineas for prosecuting to conviction any person who shall throw stones in the river below the Custom House, whereby the navigation of the river may be obstructed.

That Bartholomew Creagh, tobacconist; Robert Reeves, Jun., of Dublin, gent.; and Carden Terry, silversmith, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £1 11*s.* 7*d.* to Sober Kent, Esq., for opening and cleaning a sewer near Shandon Church; *It.*, £10 11*s.* 7½*d.* to William Maturin for newspapers; *It.*, that the newspapers taken be discontinued, and that the Mayor

order such English newspapers, Dublin newspapers, and such two Cork newspapers as he thinks fit; *It.*, £15 13*s.* 2*d.* to the Mayor for carpeting for the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £3 11*s.* 7*d.* to Mary Ballard, half year's attending the Mayor's office; *It.*, £30 17*s.* 6*d.* to William Mahony, tyler, work done; £27 16*s.* 2*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, work done; *It.*, £18 10*s.* 9*d.* to said Hobbs for *do.*; *It.*, £54 7*s.* 9½*d.* to William Flaherty, mason, work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £32 6*s.* 9½*d.* to said Flaherty for work done; *It.*, £19 15*s.* 4*d.* to said Flaherty for *do.*; *It.*, £8 8*s.* 11*d.* to the exec^rs^. of Edmond Flaherty, *dec.*, work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £4 3*s.* 3*d.* to said exec^rs^. for work done; *It.*, £62 12*s.* 2*d.* to John Turner for work done; *It.*, £69 13*s.* 2½*d.* to Timothy Hughes, smith, work done; *It.*, £19 4*s.* 6*d.* to said Hughes for coal barrels; *It.*, £21 9*s.* 2*d.* to John and Robt. Baldwin, printers, work done; *It.*, £50 to Mr. Mayor, towards purchasing the buildings which obstruct the passage of S. Patrick's street.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Ald^en^. Maylor, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, Allen, C. S., Rowland, and Harding.

17 *Aug.*, 1785.

Ordered, that the Gateage Tolls and other customs, &c., be set for one year; *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Water Bailiff for one year at a salary of £60 (conditions as usual).

Ordered, that £6 be paid Mr. Andrew Peace, apothecary, for attendance on the boys at S. Stephen's Hospital.

That the Rt. Hon. Earl Grandison be presented with his freedom in a Silver box; also Richard Maguire, Jun., apothecary, having served Rich^d^. Maguire, *do.*; John Campbell, Esq., of Coolfadda; William Mullins, Esq., now of Bellgrove; Isaac Mee, merch^t^., having served Peter Cambridge, *do.*; William Allen, Esq., of Greenfield: William Phair, paper-maker, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £1 12*s.* 3*d.* to Thomas Hardaway, 'Change Keeper, for necessaries for the Council Chamber.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Ald^en^. Bury, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, W. Travers, Kellett; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and Allen, C. S.

23 *Sep.*, 1785.

This day the Mayor Elect was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that £4 11*s.* be paid Mr. Will. Fowler, rent of a house for the accommodation of the Shandon Guard during the repairing of the Guard House; *It.*, £10 6*s.* 0½*d.* to Mr. Mayor, expended by him; *It.*, one guinea to John Triggs, one year's keeping the Bells of the Mayoralty House in order; *It.*, £3 11*s.* 7*d.* to Mary Ballard for sweeping the Mayor's office; *It.*, 5 guineas to Rowland Sharp, one of the Peace officers, for his trouble in apprehending several disturbers of the Peace, and strongly recommended to this Board by the Sheriffs; *It.*, £2 16*s.* 8*d.* to Heylen Mayberry, stationer, for Acts of Parliament for the Mayor's office.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Ald^en^. Webb, Rowland, Butler, Lawton, Harding; Mr. Saml. Rowland, Allen, C. S.; Ald. Travers and Baker.

25 *Sep.*, 1785.

That Alexander Crookshank, Esq., 4th Justice of H. M. C. of Common Pleas, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box, and John Litchfield, merch^t^., freeman at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mr. Mayor Elect, Sher. Crowly and Allen; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Kent, Baker; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and C. S.

8 *Oct.*, 1785.

John Franklin, Esq., Mayor.

This day the Mayor and Sheriffs were sworn Common Council men.

Ordered, that an Entertainment be prepared for His Grace Charles, Duke of Rutland, Lord-Lieut., who is expected in this City, and that Mr. Mayor, Mr. Sher. Sadlier and Lumley, Ald^en^. Rowland, Travers, Butler, and Mr. Ch^r^. Allen, C. S., be managers to prepare said Entertainment.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier and Lumley; Ald^en^. Philpott, Maylor, Baker, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Kent; Mr. Izod, and C. S.

29 *Oct.*, 1785.

That Lieut.-Col. Cavendish Lister, of 3 Reg. Foot guards, one of the aids-decamp to His Grace the Lo.-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a Silver

box; also Hon. Rich^d. S. Leger, Capt. 2nd. Horse, one of the aidsdecamp to the Lo.-Lieut., in a Silver box; Hon. Edwd. Finch, capt. in the Coldstream Guards, one of the aidsdecamp to the Lo.-Lieut., in a Silver box; and Eyre Coote, Esq., Major H. M. 47 Regt. of Foot, now in this City, in the suite of his Grace the Lo.-Lieut., in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier and Lumley, the late mayor; Ald^en. Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Harding, Carleton, Wetherall, Kellett, and Mr. Izod.

22 *Nov.*, 1785.

That Broderick Chinnery, Esq., M.P., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box; and William Leader, Esq., freeman at large.

Ordered, that 5 guineas be paid Ald. Morrison, so much paid by him to Mr. Thomas Power for one year's calculating the average prices of corn during his Mayoralty, as directed by the Act to be returned weekly by the Chief Magistrate to the Collector.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier and Lumley; Ald^en. Wetherall, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Morrison, and Mr. Izod.

20 *Dec.*, 1785.

A sufficient number of Council men not having met, some having quitted before others came, the Mayor was obliged to break up.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier; Ald^en. Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Harding, Morrison, Kellett, Owgan; Mr. Izod and Harding.

21 Jan., 1786.—Ordered, that Ald. Kent do buy 100 Barrels of coal.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier; Ald^en. Wetherall, Lawton, Harding, Kent, Morrison, Butler, Rowland; Mr. Izod, Harding, and C. S.

25 *Jan.*, 1786.

Ordered, that £635 be paid Sir John Franklin, Mayor, in addition to £365 by the C. D. H.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier; Ald^en. Wetherall, Rowland, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Harding, Kent, Morrison, and Mr. Izod.

6 *Feb.*, 1786.

Ordered, that the Bill formerly presented to Parliament for building a

Bridge over the North branch of the river Lee, &c., be forthwith proceeded on, and that the Mayor write to our Representatives to forward same; *It.*, that a memorial be prepared to Parliament, praying that the profits of the Weigh Houses of said City be vested in the Mayor, &c., and such commissioners as shall be appointed by Parliament, for such public uses as they shall think most necessary; *It.*, that a like memorial be presented to the Lord-Lieut.; *It.*, that a clause for establishing an Assay office, for assaying plate in this City, be added to the above Law; *It.*, that the proprietors of the ground agreed to be taken for markets be at liberty to apply to Parliament to add a clause to the above Bill for empowering them to make a lease thereof to the Mayor, &c., pursuant to the order of Council for taking same.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Sadlier and Lumley; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Rowland, Lawton, Harding, Kent, Carleton, Travers, Kellett; Mr. Izod, and Allen, C. S.

15 *Feb.*, 1786.

We, the Mayor, &c., duly assembled, thinking fit to supersede the several valuators heretofore appointed for the several parishes of the City of Corke and suburbs thereof, according to an act passed, &c., do appoint John Good, grocer; Alcock Ottley, chandler; Danl. Foley, woollen draper; Will. Lamb, gent.; and Robt. Edwards, brewer, of the parish of S. Nicholas: John Besnard, sail maker; Gibbs Ross, cooper; John Wily, smith; and Rich^d^. Clear and John Rowand, merch^ts^., of the parish of S. Paul: Thomas Campbell, shopkeeper; Charles Dickenson, brazier; Danl. Knight, grocer; Francis Beek, brewer; and Emanuel Hutchins, brewer, of the parish of S. Peter: Edmond Kennifeck and Barth. Guynan, merch^ts^.; Thomas Gonnell, cooper; Solomon Newsom, merch^t^.; William Shea, cooper and butter buyer, of the Parish of S. Mary Shandon: Thomas Hewett, chandler; Thomas Exham, merch^t^.; Edward Pope, cooper and butter buyer; Thomas Crofts, chandler; and Thomas Hoskins, tanner, of the Parish of S. Ann: John Barcroft Haughton, shopkeeper; William Wherland, ironmonger; William Phair, paper maker; Barth. Creagh, tobacconist; and John McGivin, of the Parish of the Holy Trinity: all which parishes are situated in said City. Abraham Lane, brewer; Saml. Hobbs, carpenter; Christ^r^. Hewett, gent.; John Maybury, cooper; and Edwd. Wynne, tanner, of the Par. of S. Finbarry, to be valuators for the better regulating the police of the City of Corke, &c.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Lumley; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Rowland, Travers, Harding, Lawton, Kent; Mr. Izod and Allen, C. S.

(March 21, April 25, and May 10. The Mayor was obliged to break up for want of members attending.)

12 *May*, 1786.

Ordered, that £4 12*s*. 5*d*. be paid Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It*., £29 19*s*. 9½*d*. to John Turner, plumber; *It*., that an alphabetical list of the orders in this book be made out by the Clerk of the Council; *It*., £2 3*s*. 0½*d*. to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter's work at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It*., £11 11*s*. 7*d*. to John Turner, for plumbing work; *It*., £41 9*s*. 10*d*. to Gibbs Ross, cooper, for coal barrels; *It*., £11 11*s*. 6*d*. to Sir John Franklin, for newspapers; *It*., £18 0*s*. 8*d*. to the Sheriffs, so much expended by them for the maintenance in Bridewell of the people who prosecuted the coiners, last assizes, to conviction; *It*., £12 3*s*. 2*d*. to Messrs. Fuller, M^c^Carthy and Co., for timber for the use of S. Stephen's Hospital; *It*., £53 3*s*. 3*d*. to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for clothing for the Sargeants and Bayliff; *It*., £25 1*s*. 8*d*. to said Shaw and Evanson, for clothing for the Bellmen; *It*., £27 12*s*. 6*d*. to said S. and E. for clothes supplied the boys bound from S. Stephen's Hospital; *It*., £14 15*s*. 9*d*. to John Turner, for painting at the Mansion House; *It*., £16 9*s*. 11½*d*. to George Barber, for upholsterer's work done; *It*., £23 6*s*. 11*d*. to Sir John Franklin, for carpeting for the Mansion House; *It*., 6 guineas to the Trustees of the Pipe water scheme, for six years Pipe water supplied for the use of the Corporation; *It*., £34 5*s*. 7*d*. to Henry Sadlier and William Lumley, Esq., and William Jones, to make good the costs they were at in the Sheriffs Office; *It*., £25 7*s*. 3½*d*. to William Mahony, tyler, work done; *It*., £3 11*s*. 7*d*. to Mary Ballard, for sweeping the Mayor's Office; *It*., 2 guineas to Anthony Edwards, his account; *It*., £4 5*s*. 3*d*. to Mr. Thos. Pope, for prosecuting Simon Donovan for assaulting John Shelton, a Market Juror; *It*., £47 4*s*. 9*d*. to William Jones, Town Clerk, for official business.

That Christ. Henry Earbery, Esq., eldest son of Mathias E., Esq.; Thomas Mannix, gent., having served Willm. Jones; Michæl Wood, mercht., having served Gibbs Ross, mercht. and cooper; Thos. Cuthbert, mercht., eldest son of John C., mercht.; Sir Joseph Gray, eldest son of

Pope Gray, Esq.; John Townsend, Esq., eldest son of Rich^d. T., Esq., Doctor of Physic; Charles Cole, mercht., having served Christ. Waggett, *do.*; William Taylor, chandler, eldest son of Will. T., gent., *dec.*; Rev^d. Hugh Reynolds, eldest son of Will. Reynolds, silversmith, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £22 3*s.* 7½*d.* to the Mayor and Sheriffs, expenses in removing John Philip Merckle to Dublin under a *H. C.*

We, the Mayor, &c., do appoint Will. Mansergh, gent., of the parish of S. Nicholas, a valuator in the room of Robt. Edwards, and Jonathan Wigmore, cabinet-maker, of the Par. of the Holy Trinity, a valuator of said Parish, in the room of William Wherland, ironmonger, *dec.*

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier and Lumley; Ald^en. Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton; Mr. Rowland and Allen, C. S.

19 *May*, 1786.

Ordered, that £20 1*s.* 9*d.* be paid William Flaherty, mason, his account; *It.*, £101 6*s.* 8*d.* to Will. Reynolds, goldsmith, for gold and silver boxes, from 12 Jan., 1785, to 25 Nov., 1785; *It.*, £8 4*s.* 4*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, work done; *It.*, £4 10*s.* 10*d.* to said Hobbs, for *do.*; *It.*, £37 15*s.* 5½*d.* to Timothy Hughes, for ironmonger's work; *It.*, £17 2*s.* 11*d.* to Will. Flaherty, mason, work done for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £5 12*s.* to Andrew Peace, apothecary, medicines for the Boys at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £6 to said Peace, for one year's attendance on said Boys; *It.*, £45 10*s.* 3*d.* to James and John Knight, for printing work.

That Joseph Wall, cooper, having served Saml. Maylor, Esq.; George Dunscombe, Esq., eldest son of Nicholas D., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £4 1*s.* 4½*d.* to Cæsar Fanning, for paper-work done at St. Stephen's Hospital.

Present — The Mayor, Sher. Sadlier and Lumley; Ald^en. Bury, Maylor, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and Allen, C. S.

25 May, 1786. That £19 3*s.* 6*d.* be paid Mr. John Jappie, for coal barrels supplied.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Wetherall, Maylor, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Lawton, Kent, Kellett, Morrison; Mr. Harding, Rowland, Allen, C. S., and Izod.

2 *June*, 1786.

Ordered, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, Ald. Rowland, Kent, Morrison, Mr. Izod, Rowland, and C. S. be a committee to treat with the several tenants of the houses in Castle Street, from the Exchange to the entrance to the Court House, which are proposed to be purchased by the Corporation, and report with whom and for what sums they can purchase.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Kent, Kellett, Morrison; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and Allen, C. S.

9 *June*, 1786.

Whereas the Freemen of the City of Corke are by Charter exempted from all Gateage Tolls due to the Mayor, &c., of the City of Corke, and whereas the enlarging of the streets, ways, and passages of the said City and suburbs thereof, and the erecting public buildings thereon, will contribute as well to the health of the inhabitants as the beautifying thereof. And whereas the establishing a local tax would be burdensome to the poor, and may eventually not answer, and whereas the Common Council are of opinion that the least burdensome and most effectual means of raising money will be by enacting a bye-law that all Freemen shall for a limited time be liable to pay all such gateage tolls, as persons not freemen are now subject to and pay, and whereas the gateage tolls paid by persons not freemen now produce upon an average to the said Mayor, &c., the yearly sum of £1840;

Now we, the Mayor, &c., in pursuance of the powers given us by the bye-laws, of making other bye-laws, do enact, &c., that for the space of five years from 29 Sep. next all freemen of said City, and those hereafter admitted during said term, shall be liable to pay all such gateage tolls as persons not freemen now pay, and all money therefrom arising during said five years, exceeding the sum of £1840, shall be vested in the Commissioners for the time being for making wide and convenient streets, ways, and passages in the City and suburbs, or erecting public buildings as such commissioners shall appoint, such direction being first approved of by the C. D. H., after the usual posting, before any money shall be expended, &c.

Ordered, that Mr. John Shaw's interest in the dwelling-houses in Castle Street, held by him for the residue of upwards of 900 years, subject to the

yearly rent of £10 each, payable to Francis Woodley, Esq., and whereon he appears to have a yearly profit rent of £21 15*s.* be purchased from him by the Mayor, &c., for £217 10*s.*, being ten years' purchase, and that said purchase-money and yearly rent shall during the remainder of the respective leases be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

It., That Mr. Thomas Burnett's interest in a dwelling-house in Castle Street, held by him by lease for the residue of 900 years or upwards, at a yearly rent of £10 payable to said Francis Woodley, and wherein said Burnett appears to have a profit rent of £12 15*s.*, be purchased by the Mayor, &c., for £127 10*s.*, being ten years' purchase, said purchase-money and yearly rent during the remainder of the lease to be paid out of the Corporation revenue.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Rowland, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Morrison, Butler, Sadlier, Lawton; Mr. Izod, Rowland, and Allen, C. S.

30 *June*, 1786.

The Common Speaker sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Whereas the Corporation of the City of Corke have occasion to raise money for Public works, and the Common Council being of opinion that the raising thereof by granting annuities for the life or lives of the lender or lenders will be an advantageous mode for the Corporation to adopt. It is therefore proposed that an advertisement be published, that the Mayor, &c., will receive proposals in writing from such persons as are willing to advance money on an annuity or annuities, as agreed on.

Whereas this Board is of opinion that for effectually completing the markets intended to be built, some of the adjacent grounds and houses may be necessary to be added to that already taken, ordered, that the Mayor, &c., be at liberty to purchase the interests of any person or persons in any way interested in such adjacent grounds and houses as shall be thought necessary to be added, or take the same on lease or leases, such interests being first valued by a Jury, agreeable to the late Act.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Maylor, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Kent, Morrison; Mr. Rowland, and Morrison, C. S.

25 *July*, 1786.

Ordered, that 30 guineas be paid Mr. Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock, 1 Aug.; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of coals; *It.*, £8 13*s.* 4*d.* to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., Sword-Bearer, fees on sundry persons who have been presented with the Freedom of this City.

This day Godfrey Baker, Esq., Waterbailiff, produced his accounts from 29 June, 1781, to 30 July, 1785.

That Edmund Knapp, Esq., eldest son of Edmond K., Esq.; George Read, gent.; Nicholas Colthurst, Esq., Town Major; Robert Travers, gent., Atty.-at-Law; James Carr, mercht.; Thomas Newenham, Esq., second son of Thomas N., formerly M.P. for this City; Robert Hamilton, mercht., partner-in-trade with John Pedder, mercht.; Joseph Harrison, woollen-draper; Robert Harding, Esq., second son of Henry H., Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £72 19*s.* 11½*d.* to William Flynn, for printing work; *It.*, £15 to the Mayor, for purchasing a ground seat opposite to the Archdeacon's in Peter's Church, the parish in which the Mansion House is situated, for the use of the present and all succeeding Mayors and their families during office; *It.*, £23 3*s.* to John Baldwin, for printing work; *It.*, £20, and no more, to Benj. Bousfield, John Lindsay, John Digby, W^m^. Clark, and Edward James, to be expended by them in securing the foundation of the Castle of Blackrock, and building a slip.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Maylor, Baker, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, Mr. C. S., and Mayor elect.

8 *Aug.*, 1786.

That Julius Besnard, sail-cloth manufacturer, be admitted a freeman at large.

Ordered, that £190 be paid Mr. Thomas Bewley, for the purchase of the interest of the premises held by him from Robert Dennis, situate in Patrick Street, extending backwards to the ground whereon the New Markets are intended to be built, said Bewley making a sufficient title; *It.*, £60 to said Bewley, for the purchase of his interest in the house adjoining said premises, held by him under Doctor Daunt, on his making a like title;

It., £40 to Mr. Edward Hart Hopper, for the purchase of his interest in part of the above premises; *It.*, £150 to the Rev. John Pick, for the purchase of his interest in his dwelling-house in Princes Street, and the ground belonging thereto, on his making a sufficient title, &c.; *It.*, 3 guineas to Saml. Andrews, for drawing a map of the grounds whereon the intended markets are to be built.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriff Sadlier; Ald^en. Bury, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Morrison, Rowland, Kellett; Mr. Burgess Izod, and the Mayor Elect.

16 *Aug.*, 1786.

Ordered, that the Gateage Tolls, and other Tolls and Customs, be set. (Conditions as before.)

It., that a posting be put up in the Exchange, for electing a Water Bailiff for one year, Salary £60 (conditions as usual). *It.*, That the Mayor, &c., do forthwith take from the heir-at-law and representative of the late Richard Marret, *dec.*, a lease for the term of 800 years of the grounds, houses, and premises heretofore agreed to be taken from them for building markets, and that the Mayor, &c., do execute the same for and on behalf of the Mayor, &c., and that the yearly rent of £196 18*s.* 6*d.*, agreed to be paid for the same, shall as it becomes due be paid.

It., 5 guineas to Rowland Sharp, one of the peace officers of this City, for his trouble in apprehending several disturbers of the Peace, and being strongly recommended by the Sheriffs.

It., £6 19*s.* 6½*d.* to Gibbs Ross, Esq., expenses he was at in locating Jackaboy in gaol.

It., that an annuity of £200 be granted to Cornet Francis Goold, 3 Reg. of Horse, during his life, and that the Mayor, &c., execute such grant on said Goold's paying into the hands of the Chamberlain the sum of £2000.

It., that £1 16*s.* 11*d.* be paid Thomas Hardaway, 'Change porter, expenses for Council Chamber.

It., that the materials on the ground where the Markets are to be built be sold by public auction.

That Henry Bagnell, mercht., at the request of Sher. Sadlier and Saml. Cooper, merch^t., at the request of Sher. Lumley, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Wetherall, Baker, Maylor, Rowland, Travers, Owgan, Kent, Morrison; Mr. Izod, and Rowland, Mayor Elect.

25 *Aug.*, 1786.

Ordered, that the congratulatory address now prepared, read and agreed to, be presented to his Majesty, on his late happy escape from an attempt of assassination, be forwarded to our Representatives in Parliament and our Recorder, to be delivered to the Lord-Lieut., to be transmitted to his Majy.

It., that £85 be paid to Mr. John Gennix, for the purchase of his interest in a dwelling-house and concern in Castle Street, with all rights, &c., on his conveying his interest, &c. to the Mayor, &c.; *It.*, an annuity of £25 to Miss Ellen Morrogh, paying the chamberlain for the use of the Mayor, &c., £250.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs, the Mayor Elect; Alden. Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Kent, Morrison, and Mr. C. S.

21 *Sep.*, 1786.

Ordered, that £5 16*s.* 5*d.* be paid Mrs. Mayberry, her account; *It.*, £18 18*s.* 7*d.* to Sir John Franklin, sundry small expenses paid by him at the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £3 8*s.* 3*d.* to Mary Ballard, attendance at Mayor's Office; *It.*, £15 12*s.* 8*d.* to the Law Agent, so much paid by him to the late Dublin Agent; *It.*, £19 2*s.* 3*d.* to the Law Agent for business done in Dublin.

Present—Mr. Mayor, The Mayor Elect, Sher. Sadlier and Lumley; Alden. Maylor, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kellett; Mr. Izod and C. S.

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28 *Sep.*, 1786.

That the Rt. Hon. Lo. Vis. Lutterell be presented with his freedom in a Silver box; and William Collis, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, a freeman at large.

Ordered, that £11 5*s.* 9*d.* be paid the Mayor, loss he sustained on 10 tons of oatmeal sold to the poor.

That Thomas Harman, silversmith, having served Will. Reynolds, *do.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

It., £18 11*s.* 0½*d.* to Ald. Lawton, so much expended by him for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £1 3*s.* 10*d.* to Peter Butler for work done; *It.*, £26 15*s.* 5½*d.* to John Knight, for printing; *It.*, £4 11*s.* to Sir John Franklin, one year's rent for the coach house belonging to the Mansion House.

Present—The Mayor, and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Maylor, Travers, Morrison, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Morrison, C. S., Mayor Elect, Izod and Kellett.

1 *Dec.*, 1786.

Samuel Rowland, Esq., Mayor.

Ordered, that £67 7*s.* 1*d.* be paid Messrs. Rowland, and Danl. Morrison, for timber supplied; *It.*, £12 6*s.* 11*d.* to said Rowland and Morrison for timber for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, 3 guineas to Mr. Fortescue for English Newspapers from Feb. 2, to 2 Aug., 1786; *It.*, 11*s.* 4½*d.* to Miller Triggs for keeping the Mayoralty Bells in repair; *It.*, that 6 instead of 5 *per cent.* be paid for the principal of £100 left by Brigadier Sterne for providing coals for the Alms House; *It.*, £30 to the Mayor, the Corporation subscription for the children of the late William Casey, who with his wife was killed by the falling of a rock on their house.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Lawton, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, C. S., Kellett, and Travers.

Sheriff Waggett and Allen sworn Common Council men.

14 *Dec.*, 1786.

Whereas the persons stiling themselves Whiteboys or Right Boys still continue to commit outrages, notwithstanding the means taken to prevent them, now we, the Mayor, &c., do declare that we are determined in exerting every effort in our power to suppress such disturbances, and restore peace to all within our jurisdiction, and for the better effecting this, rewards will be paid by the Mayor, &c., for such information, so that the offenders may be brought to condign punishment, and for the satisfaction of the persons disposed to give such information, the Mayor, &c., do pledge themselves to conceal their names, and it is ordered, that a sum not exceeding £300 be paid to the Mayor, &c., as occasion shall require; *It.*, £32 1*s.* 3*d.* to the Mayor for glazing the West opes of the Exchange.

Present—Saml. Rowland, Mayor; Chris^t. Waggett and Chris^t. Allen, Sheriffs; Row^d. Morrison, C. S.

29 *Dec.*, 1786.

Ordered, that 10 guineas be paid the Mayor, Mr. Kellett, for the relief of fourteen Frenchmen cast away lately on this coast and to send them home; *It.*, that the acts at large be purchased and kept in the Town Clerk's office; *It.*, that parapet walls be built (pursuant to statute) on the quays, at each side of the potatoe Quay dock, and that the tenants, &c., of the houses and ground adjoining be served with notices signed by the Clerk of the Council to build the same, several lives having been lately lost for want thereof, it being a dangerous pass on dark nights; *It.*, that Miles Bleasby, who has been a long time confined at the suit of the Mayor, &c., be discharged.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Allen; Ald^en. Wetherall, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Izod, and Morrison, C. S.

24 *Jan.*, 1787.

Whereas 18 Jan., 1787, the Mayor, &c., issued their proclamation, offering a reward of £20 and certain annuities to the persons who shall prosecute to conviction the persons guilty of felonies and outrages mentioned in such proclamation, now we, the Mayor, &c., do hereby confirm the aforesaid Proclamation, and order that the rewards and annuities offered by the Mayor, &c., shall from time to time be paid to the persons who shall become entitled thereto; *It.*, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 Barrels of coals.

Whereas by an order of the Common Council, 9 April, 1765, it was ordered, that each Sheriff should for the future be paid £50 for his trouble in the execution of his office, and whereas by several subsequent resolutions entered into by the C. D. H. it was agreed, that the dinners annually given by the Mayor, &c., on election and swearing day shall be abolished, and the money expended thereon, amounting to £200, be applied annually to the relief of indigent freemen and their families, and whereas the future Sheriffs, being eased of their proportion of the expense of such dinners, being £100, and the aforesaid annual sum granted to them in consideration of the expense they are at as of their trouble, and said court having requested that said annual sum of £50 be handed over to trustees agreeable to said resolution.

Ordered, that said sum annually paid each Sheriff, shall be so paid to each Sheriff, that it may be applied by them in manner before mentioned, for the purposes agreed to in said resolution, being a charity which we highly approve of, and are of opinion that the Sheriffs cannot apply the money to a better purpose or more consonant to our intention of granting same; *It.*, that the Mayor, Ald. Rowland and Butler be a committee for inspecting tradesmen's accounts; *It.*, 14*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. John Bass, the expense he was at repairing a breach in his house occasioned by taking down a wall on the market ground; *It.*, that a Bond heretofore passed by the Mayor, &c., for £400 to be taken up, and that £100 of the principal be paid off to Hans Stewart, Esq., to whom said Bond was passed, and that a new bond be passed by the Mayor for the principal sum of £300 with interest at 6 *per cent.* from the date of said bond.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett and Allen; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, and C. S.

23 *Feb.*, 1787.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., issued a Proclamation offering a reward of £50 for prosecuting to conviction the persons who posted notices on the Lodges of James Bernard, Rich^d^. D. Newenham and Henry Browne Hayes, Esq., to extort money in the name of Capt. Right.

Ordered, that the aforesaid reward, in case any person be entitled thereto, shall be paid.

Whereas at a Common Council held 9 June last the Mayor, &c., did enact

a bye-law, that for the space of five years, from 29 Sep., all freemen shall be liable to Gateage tolls as non-freemen pay, which bye-law was referred to C. D. H., and whereas some doubt having arisen whether after confirmation by the C. D. H. an act of Parliament would not be necessary for carrying such bye-law into execution, and whereas by the setting of the Gateage Tolls in separate lots they now produce upwards of £2000 a year, and whereas the Mayor, &c., are of opinion that such Bye Law, if carried into execution, would have been of most material advantage, and contribute to improve and embellish said City by opening ways, passages, &c., therein, and ease the inhabitants of part of the taxes to which they are subjected; ordered, that the order of 9 June last be referred to the C. D. H., with an alteration therein that the commencement shall take place from 29 Sep. next after an act shall be obtained as herein after mentioned, and that £2000 of the produce of the Gateage Tolls shall be annually in the first place paid to the Mayor, &c., for the use of them and their successors, and that an act of Parliament be applied for to confirm same if it meets the approbation of the C. D. H., the expenses to be paid out of the Corporation revenues, but repaid to the Mayor, &c., out of the first produce of the Gateage Tolls after paying the Mayor, &c., the £2000 they are to receive; *It.*, that £57 13*s.* 9½*d.* be paid Will. Flyn, printer, for his account; *It.*, that Michael Busteed Westropp, Esq., in the room of Randal Westropp, Esq., *dec.;* William Denroch, Esq., in the room of Stephen Denroch, Esq., *dec.;* Edward Jameson, Esq., in the room of Henry Wrixon, Esq., *dec.;* Humphry Crowly, Esq., in the room of Peter Cossart, Esq., *dec.;* William Lumley, Esq., in the room of Will. Snowe, Esq., *dec.*, be added to the Committee for carrying into execution the several statutes for supplying this city with water; *It.*, £635 to the Mayor, in addition to £365 appointed for him by C. D. H.; *It.*, 15 guineas to Mr. W^m^. Keyes, half a year's rent for the house wherein Mr. Henry Knight, chandler, lately dwelt; *It.*, that the Rev^d^. Archdeacon Robt. Austen be appointed receiver of the rents of the lands devised by the will of Thomas Deane, Esq.; *It.*, 5 guineas to Sir John Franklin, paid by him to Thomas Power for striking the average price of corn during his Mayoralty, as directed by the act to be returned weekly to the collector.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Wetherall, Rowland, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Izod, and Mr. C. S.

6 *March*, 1787.

Ordered, that £62 7*s.* be paid to James and John Knight for printing work done; *It.*, that a collar of S. S. and gold chains be bought for the Mayor and Sheriffs of this City, for the time being, to be worn by them in their several offices for the Honour and Dignity of this City, and that the said Collar and Chains be made like the collar and chains worn by the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs of Dublin, to be delivered over by the Mayor and Sheriffs from time to time to their successors, along with the rest of the City Regalia.

It., £3 12*s.* 1*d.* to Mary Ballard for keeping the Mayor's office clean for half a year.

It., that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Ald. Travers, Butler, Sir J. Franklin, and Mr. Izod be a committee to examine the draft of the act intended to be applied for establishing a Ballast office in this City, and erecting Light Houses at the entrance of the Harbour and report.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett and Allen; Ald^en^. Butler, Travers, Sir J. Franklin, Kellett, Rowland, and C. S.

14 *March*, 1787.

Ordered, that £60 be paid to the Mayor, &c., for the purchase of Joseph Morgan's interest in the dwelling house on the Grand Parade, taken by him from Mr. Jappie and others, part of the ground belonging thereto being wanted for the new Markets, and further, that the yearly rent of £50 payable out of said house by Joseph Morgan be paid out of the Corporation revenues during the continuance of said Morgan's lease, being 60 years from 25 March next; *It.*, £84 11*s.* 4*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson for clothing for the Bellmen, 'Change Keeper, Sargeants, and Bailiffs; *It.*, 30 guineas to Mrs. Travers for providing a hot hearth in her house for the accommodation of the Judges in their lodgings.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett and Allen; Ald^en^. Wetherhall, Rowland, Lawton, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Sir John Franklin; Mr. Izod, and Rowland Morrison, C. S.

11 *May*, 1787.

That Sir Nicholas Colthurst, Bart; Sir James Lawrence Cotter, Bart.; and Henry Cox, Esq., Dunmanway, be admitted freemen at large.

That Walter Atkins, Esq.; Carré Williams, Esq., Inspector-Gen. of Excise; Rev^d. Edmond Lombard; David Perrier, mercht., having served Thomas Burnett; Nathaniel Mitchell, Esq., now Mayor of Clonmell; John Mansfield, cooper, having served Rich^d. Maybury, *do.;* John Franklin, gent., having served William Heard, gent., for two years, and William Colburn, gent., for five; William Langley, cooper, having served Roger Langley, *do.;* Walter Hussey Fitton, cooper, having served Gibbs Ross, *do.;* Harris Jeffery, cooper, having served Gibbs Ross, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £36 16*s.* 0½*d.* to the Mayor, so much expended by him at the Mansion House; *It.*, £38 7*s.* 5*d.* to Mr. Robt. Reeves, Corporation Agent, in Dublin, for the costs the Mayor, &c., were at in defending a motion made against them in the K. B. about the removal of one John Fitzgerald, on a *H. C.; It.*, £31 14*s.* 2½*d.*, to Robt. Reeves, for business done, to Hilary term, 1787.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Allen; Ald^en. Butler, Mr. Morrison, C. S., and Willcocks.

25 *May*, 1787.

Ordered, that a pension of £20 *per annum* be paid Mrs. Mary Ann Harding, widow of Ald. John Harding; *It.*, that a new gown and cap of maintenance be provided for the Sword-bearer; *It.*, that the Mayor do inform the Burgesses that it is the unanimous request of this Board that such of them as are not provided with gowns do get them, in order to add respectability to the appearance of the Corporation in all processions.

That Philip White, merch^t., having served Christ. Waggett, *do.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan; Mr. Willcocks, Rowland, and Morrison, C. S.

8 *June*, 1787.

Ordered, that James Chatterton, Esq., shall have liberty, at his own expense, to add to his ground near Parliament Bridge, by taking in or enclosing that part of the South Channel of the river Lee from the South West point of his present quay, so far as his ground extends towards said

bridge, so as that said channel be left of the full breadth of 130 feet in the clear from the South West corner or point of the ground to be enclosed to the opposite, or Sullivan's Quay, and of the full breadth of 122 feet in the clear from the East point of the ground to be so inclosed to Sullivan's Quay, such liberty to remain to said James Chatterton, his execrs. and assigns, for the term of 900 years, from 29 Sep., said James, his execrs., &c., paying the Mayor, &c., the yearly rent of 5 shillings during such time.

Whereas by an Act of Parliament passed 26 H. M. reign, for building a Bridge over the Northern Channel of the river Lee, certain tolls are payable, to be applied for the purposes of said Act, and to pay an annuity in lieu of interest of 8 *per cent.* to the persons who shall advance money for said purpose; and whereas the Corporation, having advanced a considerable sum of money for obtaining said Act, which by said Act is to be repaid with interest, the Common Council have thought fit to become subscribers for the Corporation of £1000 to be applied for the purpose of said Act. Ordered, that the Mayor, in the name of the Mayor, &c., do subscribe £1000 for the purpose of said Act, and further, that 10 debentures of £100 each shall be taken in the name of the Mayor, &c., and that all the profits to arise therefrom shall go and belong to the revenues of the Corporation.

That the Rt. Hon. John Fitz Gibbon, Esq., H. M. Attorney-General, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

It., 30 guineas a year to Robt. Patterson, Dep. Water Bailiff, in lieu of the present salary, £20 a year. *It.*, that the following sums be paid carriage of coals in this City: For measuring each barrel of coals, one penny; For landing each barrel of coals out of a boat, one halfpenny; For the carriage of each barrel of coals for 100 yards and under, one penny; For above 100 yards to 200 yards, three half pence; For above 200 yards to 300 yards, three pence; For above 300 yards to 400 yards, four pence; For above 400 yards to 600 yards, five pence; For above 600 yards to 800 yards, six pence; For above 800 yards to 1100 yards, eight pence; for bringing each barrel of coals out of the ship and putting the same into a carriage at the ship's side, one penny; If dropped on the ground and afterwards measured and put into a carriage, three half pence.

The above rules and regulations respecting the measuring and carriage of coals have been printed and published by the Mayor's order, and by him circulated, and are now ordered to be observed.

It., that the Mayor shall be at liberty to have the names of the different Streets, Lanes, and Alleys, Quays, and passages, painted on boards and put up in such manner as he shall approve of, in such parts of said streets as may be thought necessary by him, and the houses numbered; and as a survey is now intended to be made of the City, it is further ordered, that proper names for such streets, &c., as have not been already named or improperly named, shall be in like manner put up and adopted, and that the Mayor shall have power to confer and consult such persons as he shall think proper in the different parishes, in order that this undertaking may be more completely carried into execution, as a matter which will be in our opinion a great improvement to this City, and very useful to strangers who resort thereto.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Travers, Lawton, Butler, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Willcocks, and C. S.

22 *June*, 1787.

Ordered, that the New Markets shall be flagged instead of paved, and that an advertisement be published in the Dublin, Cork, and Waterford papers, that proposals will be received by the Mayor, &c.; they will require 1000 square yards of stone, which must be of a gritty quality, from 3 to 4 inches thick, that will not wear smooth; the persons proposing must undertake to have them completely squared and laid by the first day of January next.

It., £1 10*s.* 4*d.* to Francis Jackson, so much paid by him for refreshment for the officers of the Blackpool guard, by order of the late Mayor and Sheriffs.

This day the Mayor produced to the Council the apportionment which was yesterday made by him with the Commissioners for building the Bridge over the Northern Channel of the river Lee, of the proportion of the costs for obtaining the Act for building said Bridge, and other purposes relative to the City, which was to be paid by said Bridge, and which was yesterday settled at £800, carrying interest at 6 *per cent.*

That John Howard, Esq., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box, a token of the very high respect they entertain for and consider as due to his distinguished character, which has been so eminently conspicuous for acts of the most uncommon benevolence and diffusive operation.

Whereas it appears to us by the oath of Francis Johnson, one of the lamp contractors, and William Alexander the other, that from the 1 Jan., 1785, to 1 July, 1787, the several deficiencies in their affidavids set forth, amounting to £246 7*s.* 7½*d.*, arose in the money appointed by the Mayor, &c., to be levied and paid for the erecting, lighting, &c., the lamps of the City and suburbs in the several parishes of Christ Church, S. Nicholas, S. Paul, S. Ann Shandon, S. Finbarry, S. Peter, and S. Mary Shandon; ordered, that the said sum be added to the money appointed to be raised for erecting, &c., the lamps of the City and suburbs, pursuant to the power given to the Common Council of adding the same upon such proof as aforesaid.

It., that 20 guineas be paid Mr. John Bass, the loss he sustained by the throwing down of his wall in the progress of building the New Markets.

It., that in future the assize of bread shall be published at the expense of the Corporation in Knight's and Flinn's Papers, on Monday in each week only, and that they be served by the Clk. of the Council with a copy of this order.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Willcocks and Morrison, C. S.

17 *July*, 1787.

Ordered, that the Gateage Tolls and other customs be set in the following lots, to wit: The Dublin road and Mallow road, together; Fair Hill, Cattle Market, and Blarney Lane, together; Youghal road, Spring Lane, and Leitrim, together; the Lough and Gallows Green roads, together; the Upper and Lower Glasheen roads together; the Upper and Lower Douglas roads together, &c. (Conditions as usual.)

It., that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year, at a salary of £60. (Conditions as usual.)

Whereas by an order of the Common Council of 8 June last, it was ordered, that the Mayor should, in the name of the Mayor, &c., subscribe £1000 towards the purposes of the Act for building a Bridge over the North Channel of the river Lee, and that ten debentures of £100 each should be taken in the name of the Mayor, &c., which was intended to reimburse the Corporation for the proportion of expense said Bridge was to bear and pay of obtaining said Act; and whereas the Mayor, on behalf

of the Mayor, &c., had lately settled with the Commissioners for building said Bridge, the proportion of the expenses of said Act which it was to bear, and which has been settled at £800, to carry interest at 6 *per cent.* until paid, and whereas by such adjustment it became unnecessary that such subscription should be made, ordered, that said recited order of 8 June be rescinded. *It.*, that a bond passed by the Mayor, &c., for £175, dated 19 Dec., 1781, payable with interest at 6 *per cent.* unto Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., 26 June then next, be taken up, and instead thereof a bond passed by the Mayor, &c., for said sum, with like interest, to Saml. Maylor, of Corke, Esq. *It.*, that £9 1*s.* 9*d.* be paid Mr. Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicines supplied to the boys of St. Stephen's Hospital, and £6 to said Peace for attendance on said boys. *It.*, that 10 guineas be paid for the purchase of the Barge which belonged to the late Mr. Rogers, of Lota, with her materials, they being thought highly necessary, as the Waterbailiff is not provided with a boat, and cannot do the duties of his office. *It.*, that 30 guineas be paid the Mayor, to provide an entertainment at Blackrock on 15 Aug.

A doubt having arisen with respect to the place of Common Speaker in this Corporation, It is the opinion of this Board that the place of the Common Speaker is next after such of the Burgesses as are members of the Common Council, and preceding such of the Burgesses as are not members of the Council.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, and C. S.

23 *July*, 1787.

This day the Mayor, &c., agreed with Mr. John Bray, oil merchant and contractor for lighting the lamps in the City of Dublin, for lighting the lamps of Cork for 3 years from 1 Sep. next, for which they have agreed to pay £1 6*s.* 10*d.* for each lamp, not being less than 1500, and he is to provide 600 new lamps at 5*s.* 2½*d.*, and 1000 new burners for the old lamps. The Mayor, &c., to appoint where such lamps shall be put, how long lighted, &c., a regular contract to be entered into before 25 Aug. next, to be lighted as the lamps in Dublin are lighted. *It.*, £53 7*s.* 8½*d.* to Will. Flyn, printer, his account. *It.*, that Mr. Kent do provide a leather matrass and bolster for the officer of the main guard.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Travers, Butler, Kent, Sr. John Franklin; Mr. Harding, Willcocks, and C. S.

27 *July*, 1787.

Whereas an estimate by Saml. Hobbs and Will. Flaherty, undertakers, for building the new market, of some alteration to be made in said market, amounting to £96 9*s.* 7½*d.*, ordered, that such alterations be made, and said sum paid, the alterations being effected; *It.*, £37 1*s* 2½*d.* to said Hobbs for work done; *It.*, £12 19*s.* 5*d.* to George Barber for work done; *It.*, £33 16*s.* 5½*d.* to Will. Flaherty for work done; *It.*, £91 2*s.* 3*d.* to Wm. Jones, business done; *It.*, £18 7*s.* 10½*d.* to Willm. Mahony, tyler, for work done; *It.*, £3 14*s.* 9½*d.* to said Mahony, work at S. Stephen's Hospital.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Waggett; Alden. Rowland, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Lawton; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and C. S.

23 *Aug.*, 1787.

In pursuance of an act passed 11 and 12 of his present Maj. for the regulation of this City of Corke, we, the Mayor, &c., do fix 1500 globe lamps, with a double burner in each lamp of good cotton wick yarn of 20 threads to each light, that is, 40 threads in each lamp, and we fix 1500 lamps shall be erected in the several parishes of said City and Suburbs, not being nearer to each other than 15 yards, except at the front of any public buildings, nor at a greater distance than 30 yards at each side of every street, lane, or passage where the same shall be erected, said lamps to be lighted 15 Sep. next, at sun setting, and to continue until sun rising next day, so to continue till 15 May next, said lamps to be lighted in succeeding years from 1 Sep. to 1 May, with good oil, &c., and we fix 13*s.* 4*d.*, expenses of each globe lamp, with the heading thereof and burner and lamp-iron, which are to be put up in addition to 1000 lamps before erected, amounting to £333 6*s.* 8*d.*, and also 3½*d.* each for 1000 new burners and cross wires for the old lamps amounting to £14 11*s.* 8*d.*, and we fix £1 6*s.* 10*d.*, amounting in the whole to £2012 10*s.*, shall be paid for trimming, &c., each of said lamps, and the like sum of £1 6*s.* 10*d.*, amounting to £2012 10*s.*, for trimming, &c., each of said lamps from 1 Sep. to 1 May next, for which the Mayor, &c., shall contract.

Ordered, that Ald. Kent and Mr. Burgess Willcocks be empowered to ascertain the places in the City and suburbs where the lamps shall be erected and placed; *It.*, that Ald. Kent do buy 100 Barrels of coal; *It.*, £40 18*s.* 2½*d.* to the Mayor, expenses incurred for the Corporation; *It.*, £6 8*s.* 6*d.* to Messrs. Julius and John Besnard for sails furnished for the Corporation Boat; *It.*, £16 16*s.* 6*d.* to Christ. Waggett and Christ. Allen, Sheriffs, expenses they were at in prosecuting John Callaghan and other felons who set fire to the North Gaol; *It.*, £36 17*s.* 5½*d.* to James and John Knight in full for printing work; *It.*, £4 to Margaret Bourke for embroidering the Banners of the State Trumpet and finding materials.

That the Rt. Hon. Richard, Lord Vis. Gilford, eldest son of Rt. Hon. Earl of Clanwilliam; the Rt. Hon. Earl of Glandore, eldest son of Rt. Hon. the late Earl of Glandore, who was a freeman at large of this City; and the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Suffolk be presented with their freedom.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alde^n^. Wetherall, Baker, Butler, Webb, Kent, S^r^. J. Franklin; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Mr. C. S.

7 *Sep.*, 1787.

(A recitation of the conditions entered into for erecting, lighting, repairing, &c., the lamps.)

That John Archer, merch^t^., at the request of Sheriff Waggett; Francis Beck, brewer, at the request of Sher. Allen; John Anderson, merch^t^., on the statute; William Collows, merch^t^., *do.*; Saml. M^c^Call, merch^t^., *do.*; John Pope Heard, gent., of Kinsale; John Creagh, eldest son of Barth. Creagh, tobacconist; William Harris, of Spring Grove, Co. Cork, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £284 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid Kevan Izod, Esq., being the Mayor, &c.'s proportion of 1000 guineas to be collected for the use of the pipe water scheme; *It.*, £82 9*s.* 2*d.* to Messrs. Izod, Lumley, and Busteed for candles supplied; *It.*, £6 3*s.* 3½*d.* to Ann Knox for Gold ornaments for the Banner to the City Trumpet; *It.*, £2 2*s.* 10*d.* to Thos. Hardaway for brooms for the Council Chamber; *It.*, £3 14*s.* 6*d.* to Mary Ballard for cleaning the Mayor's office.

Present—Mr. Mayor, and Sheriffs; Alde^n^. Wetherall, Baker, Webb, Butler, Travers, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and C. S.

12 *Sep.*, 1787.

Ordered, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for the Election of a Waterbailiff for one year; *It.*, £14 4*s.* 5½*d.* to the Mayor, so much expended at the entertainment at Blackrock, above 30 guineas ordered; *It.*, £11 2*s.* 3*d.* to the Mayor, different sums expended by him; *It.*, 15 guineas to Mr. Wm. Keyes, half year's rent of the house wherein Mr. Henry Knight, chandler, lately dwelt.

That Christopher Johnson, cooper, eldest son of Noblett Johnson, *do.*, *dec.*, be admitted a freeman.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett and Allen; Aldn. Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Owgan; Mr. Willcocks and C. S.

19 *Sep.*, 1787.

Ordered, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., and Sir John Franklin be a committee to have the abutment of the King's statue made up with hewn stone from the ground, to prevent its falling, and to paint the same.

That Marcus Beresford, Esq., eldest son of Rt. Hon. John Beresford, who is a freeman at large; Edward Rowland, Esq., eldest son of Francis R., Esq., *do.*; John Fuller Harnett, Esq.; Thomas Harris, Doctor of Physic; John Hanning, gent.; James Bennett, Esq., Doctor of Physic; Adderley Willcocks, gent.; Revd. Francis Orpin, Clk.; and Benjamin Swayne, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £36 8*s.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson for clothing for the boys in the Blue Coat Hospital; *It.*, £12 12*s.* 11*d.* to Peter Butler, engraver, for work done; *It.*, that in future no money be paid out of the Corporation revenues for clothing for the Bellmen and Exchange porter, or other inferior officers, but only such as were customarily clothed by the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Waggett; Aldn. Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Owgan, Kent, Morrison, Sr. J. Franklin; Mr. Willcocks, Izod, and C. S.

27 *Sep.*, 1787.

Ordered, that £3 7*s.* 6*d.* be paid to Mr. Wm. Reynolds, silversmith, for a Silver box for Lord Lutterell; *It.*, that the Mayor and Sheriffs for the time being, the C. S., Christ. Allen, Esq., and Ald. Kent, be a committee to inspect the state of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses; *It.*, that an advertise-

ment be published in the newspapers that the Mayor will receive proposals for keeping the North and South Main Street in complete repair for seven years, security being given.

It., that the New Market shall be flagged with the flagstones proposed to be furnished by Saml. Hobbs and Will. Flaherty, who are to be paid 7*s.* 6*d.* a square yard for so many square yards of flagging as the markets be found to contain when finished; *It.*, £10 to Christ. Allen, Esq., for the use of a plot of ground for a Fruit Market, for one year.

That Strettell Jackson, gent., one of the land waiters of this City; Bradshaw Popham, Cotton Manufacturer; Arthur Herbert, of Brewsterfield, Esq.; James Sealy, of Bandon, Esq.; Thomas Hillgrove, of Tralee, gent.; William Lumley, of Ballymaloo, Esq.; John Pursell, Counc.-at-Law, Esq.; John Spread, gent., son of John S., of Forrest, Esq.; Revd. John Sealy, Clk. of Bandon; Jasper Farmer, gent.; Isaac Jones, Esq.; Simon Vokes, mercht.; Thomas Holmes, of Oysterhaven, gent.; James Colthurst, of Springfield, gent; Thomas Gonnell, cooper; John Besnard, sail-cloth manufacturer; Joseph White, mariner; John Pyne, of Mount Hedges, gent.; George Smith, grocer; Robert Shaw, of Woodstock, Co. Galway, Esq.; Robt. Forsayeth, gent.; Henry Harding Parker, Esq., eldest son of Michael P., Esq.; Eustace Stawell, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, be admitted freemen at large; and the Rt. Hon. Henry Grattan in a Silver box.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Wetherall, Maylor, Webb, Rowland, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Kent; Mr. Willcocks, and C. S.

1 *Nov.*, 1787.

James Kingston, Esq., Mayor.

That Thomas Purefoy, Esq., eldest son of William P., Esq., and John Travers, gent., of Abbey Street, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £158 6*s.* 8*d.* be advanced to Mr. John Bray, the Lamp Contractor, being the cost of 500 new Globe lamps, heading, and burners, and 1000 new burners and cross wires for the old lamps, to be repaid by him when collected.

That Richard Allen, mercht., having served John Harris, *do.*; Major Gen. Patterson, now in this City; and Lieut.-Col. Marlborough Parsons Sterling be admitted freemen at large.

It., that Ald. Kent have six sentry-boxes made for the use of this City; *It.*, 5 guineas to the sentinel who refused to take a bribe for permitting the prisoners in the North Gaol to make their escape.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Piersy and Morrison; Aldᵉⁿ. Wetherall, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and C. S.

8 *Jan.*, 1788.

Ordered, that the bond passed by the Corporation to John Fitton, Esq., for £500, and which has been assigned by his reps. to the Governors of the Work House, be taken up and a new bond passed by the Mayor, &c., to said Governors for said sum payable with interest at 5 *per cent.*; *It.*, that an address be prepared to His Excell. the Marquis of Buckingham, Lo. Lieut., on his reassuming the government of this kingdom.

That the Rt. Hon. Alleyne Fitzherbert, Prin. Sec. to Lo.-Lieut., be presented with his freedom.

It., that Sher. Piersy, Ald. Travers, Sir John Franklin, Mr. Izod, Mr. Willcocks, and those of C. D. H. be a committee to audit the Chamberlain and Waterbailiffs accounts.

His Royal Highness Prince William Henry, third son to our Most Gracious Sovereign, a notification thereof having been presented to His Royal Highness, was presented with his freedom in a Gold box when lately in this City.

It., that six musquets and six bayonets be lent to Nich. Dunscombe, Esq., entering into security to return same.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Piersy; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Butler, Franklin; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, and John Herbert Orpen, C. S.

30 Jan., 1788. Ordered, that Ald. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, £25 9*s.* 1½*d.* to Messrs. Rowland and Morrison, for timber supplied.

Present—Mr. Mayor, the Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, and C. S.

9 *Feb.*, 1788.

This day Samˡ. Hobbs and Wᵐ. Flaherty laid before the Board an estimate of the expense of one division, one counter, and three racks, to go against two sides, and one stall intended for the New Meat Market, the division to

be 8 feet in depth, and ten feet high each in the clear, as also providing and fixing tables to each stall, the whole expense of finishing one stall agreeable to such estimate, amounting to £5 7*s.* 6*d.*, to which they agree; *It.*, that the house in Castle Street, lately held by Mr. John Nicolson from Mr. W^m^. Bready and Mrs. Wherland, be purchased for the use of the Mayor, &c., (on title being made) at ten years' purchase.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Travers, Butler, Owgan, Morrison, Lawton; Mr. Willcocks, Izod, and C. S.

23 *April*, 1787.

Ordered, that £198 19*s.* 10½*d.* be paid the Mayor, expenses he was at in entertaining H. R. H. Prince William Henry; *It.*, £635 to the Mayor, in addition to the salary voted by the C. D. H.; *It.*, 4 guineas to Ald. Owgan, a year's rent of the stable held with the mayoralty.

That Robert Travers, gent., eldest son of John T., of Abbey Street, *do.;* Henry Cole Bowen, Esq., eldest son of Henry Cole B., Esq., *dec.;* William Cormack, Jun., merch^t^., eldest son of William C., *do.;* George Browne, merch^t^., having served Thomas Browne, merch^t^.; Peter Childs, clothier, having served Joseph Heard, *do.;* William Kift, merch^t^., having served his father Thomas K., *do.;* W^m^. Lane, gent., having served Will. Jones, Atty.-at-Law; Edward Allen, gent., eldest son of Aylmer A., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Piersy; Ald^en^. Travers, Owgan, Kent, Morrison, Sr. John Franklin, Mr. Willcocks, and C. S.

22 *May*, 1788.

Ordered, that an annuity out of the Corporation revenues of £200 in half-yearly payments to Sir James Trant Fitzgerald, Bart., in consideration of the sum of £2000 paid by said Fitzgerald to Francis Carleton, Jun., Chamberlain, for the use of the Mayor, &c., who on receipt shall execute such sufficient grant as may secure said annuity. ("Not carried into execution" in margin.)

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Piersy; Ald^en^. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Rowland; Mr. Izod, Willcocks and C. S.

(Meetings on 27 June, 1 July, 2 July, 8 July, broke up without any business, sufficient members not attending.)

10 *July*, 1788.

Ordered, that two annuities of £100 each be granted to William Perry, of Woodroffe, co. Tipperary, Esq., one for the life of Arthur Perry, another for the life of Micajah Perry, sons of said William Perry, in consideration of £2000 paid the Chamberlain, for the use of the Mayor, &c., who shall execute such grants of the revenues of the Mayor, &c., as shall secure payment of said annuities.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Owgan; Mr. Izod, Coles, Willcocks, C. Waggett, C. S.

18 *July*, 1788.

Ordered, that several stalls in the New Meat Market be set up for sale for selling meat only, to hold for no longer than a year, paying weekly, and if any convert their stalls to any other use than selling meat, the Mayor, &c., to be at liberty of setting such stalls on which such default shall arise.

It., 30 guineas to the Mayor for an entertainment at Blackrock on Friday, 1 Aug. next.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Piersy; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Izod Willcocks, Coles, and Waggett, C. S.

29 *July*, 1788.

That Edward Cart, mercht., having served William Coles, *do.;* Philip Spiller, cooper, having served Ferdinand Spiller, *do.;* Edward Creed, Tallow chandler; Hugh Trayer Lawton, gent., eldest son of Ald. Lawton; Sᵗ. Leger Adams, mercht., having served Jonathan Adams, *do.;* John Townsend, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, M.P. for the Borough of Dingle; George Stavelly, mercht.; James Moore, mercht.; Thomas Martin, Jun., of Springmount, N. Liberties, gent.; John Large, mercht., at the request of Mr. Mayor; William Roberts, corn manufacturer, at the request of Sher. Piersy; George Davers, Esq., of Dawstown; Samˡ. Kingston, merchᵗ., of Glandore; Will. Alexander, shoemaker; Francis Johnson, clothier; John Lindsay, Jun., gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Piersy; Aldᵉⁿ. Maylor, Webb, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Travers; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, and Waggett, C. S.

29 *Aug.*, 1788.

Ordered, that the Gateage Tolls and other customs of this City be set, &c. (conditions as usual); *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange, for electing a Waterbailiff for one year, salary £60, (conditions as usual).

That Robert Shapland Carew, Esq., M.P. for the City of Waterford, be admitted a freeman at large.

It., £45 3*s.* 6*d.* to Saml. Rowland, Esq., expenses during his mayoralty; *It.*, £79 12*s.* 3½*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, their account; *It.*, £142 3*s.* 9*d.* to the Trustees of the pipe Water Scheme, being the fourth part of 500 guineas ordered to be raised for the improvement of said scheme; *It.*, £36 9*s.* 6½*d.* to the Mayor, in addition to what was before ordered for an entertainment at Blackrock; *It.*, £60 16*s.* 5½*d.* to the Mayor, for Sundries, &c.; *It.*, £28 14*s.* 4½*d.* to John Turner, glazier, work done; *It.*, £70 15*s.* 0½*d.* to Gibbs Ross, for coal barrels; *It.*, £58 17*s.* 7½*d.* to Carden Terry, Silversmith, his account from 23 Jan., 1787, to 26 April, 1788; *It.*, £50 14*s.* 11*d.* to Timothy Hughes, for iron for the coal barrels; *It.*, £29 17*s.* 9*d.* to said Hughes for *do.*; *It.*, £7 8*s.* 0½*d.* to Francis Jackson, for money paid by him on account of the Corporation; *It.*, £9 2*s.* to Frederick Miller, for lodging for the Capt. of the Guard, from Nov. 24 to 20 Jan., 1788; *It.*, £13 17*s.* 4*d.* to Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicines for the boys of S. Stephen's hospital, and attendance from May, 1787 to May, 1788; *It.*, £3 6*s.* 2*d.* to John Barter Bennett, druggist, for oils and colours for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £3 4*s.* 3½*d.* to John Turner, glazier, for work done; *It.*, £45 16*s.* 3½*d.* to W^m. Flaherty, for mason's work; *It.*, £36 4*s.* 7*d.* to said Flaherty, for *do.*; *It.*, £2 3*s.* 6*d.* to Thos. Hardaway, his account; *It.*, £1 5*s.* 10*d.* to Mary Ballard, her acc^t.; *It.*, 6 guineas to said Ballard, year's salary due; *It.*, that Ald. Kent do buy 100 Barrels of coals; *It.*, £77 2*s.* 7*d.* to W^m. Jones, Town Clerk, his account from June, 1787, to June, 1788; *It.*, £200 to Hans Stewart, Esq., in part discharge of the Corporation bond for £400, and further, that the aforesaid bond be taken up, and a new one passed by the Mayor, &c., to said Stewart for remaining £200; *It.*, that the Mayor for the time being shall be paid 50 guineas, to be by him paid over to Messrs. Richard Pike, John Moylan, Jun., and Henry White, as soon as the passage leading from North Bridge to Kyrls Quay, be completely opened, being the subscription intended to be given by the Cor-

poration to such opening, when completed; *It.*, 30 guineas for one year's rent due 25 March last to Mr. Wm. Keyes, of the ground whereon his house formerly stood.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldn. Butler, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, Waggett, C. S., and Kellett.

9 *Sep.*, 1788.

That the Revd. Armiger Sealy, Clk., eldest son of James Sealy of Bandon, Esq.; John Smith, chandler, eldest son of George S.; John Lane, apothecary, having served Philip Bennett, *do.*; Maurice Atkin, of Leadinton, Esq., eldest son of Walter A., Esq.; Hugh Lumley, gent., eldest son of William L., Esq.; Benjamin Raymond, eldest son of John Raymond, tallow chandler; Henry Deaves, mercht., having served George Newsom, *do.*; Revd. Simon Davies, Clk., eldest son of Revd. Simon D., Clk.; Arthur Browne, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, M.P. for the College; Revd. Horace Townsend, J. P. for co. Corke; John Godwin, tallow chandler; Revd. James Pratt, Clk.; Jeremiah Keller, Esq., (Counc.); James Ingram, mercht.; Abbott Trayer, gent.; John Wakeham, of Spring Hill, co. Cork, gent.; Will. Sankey, Counc.-at-Law, Esq.; Sir Jerome Fitz Patrick, Knt., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £31 14*s.* be paid the Sheriffs' expenses of transmitting Murray and Wans to Dublin, by order of the Government; *It.*, £11 3*s.* 8½*d.* to John Magee, printer, for inserting the resolutions of the C. D. H.

Present—The Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Piersy and Morrison; Aldn. Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Morrison, Sir J. Frankiin, Rowland, Owgan, Kent; Mr. Harding, Willcocks, Waggett, C. S., and Coles.

11 *Sep.*, 1788.

That the Rt. Hon. David La Touche, P.C., be admitted a freeman at large.

Ordered, that £50 be paid the Minister and Church Wardens of S. Peter's towards the erection of an organ in that Church; *It.*, £17 10*s.* 4½*d.* to Will. Mahony, tyler, for work done; *It.*, £28 14*s.* 8*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Jun., Esq., Corporation Agent in Dublin, for business done; *It.*, £10 to John Raymond, a peace officer, the reward offered for apprehending the persons who cut the pigs; *It.*, £19 17*s.* 4*d.* to Michael Crowly for timber

for the stalls of the New Market; *It.*, £30 to James Magrath for three years' salary due from 1 May last, for teaching the boys in S. Stephen's Hospital to sing; *It.*, 4 guineas to Kyrle Ward for repairing the Navigation boat.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Webb, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Carleton, Kellett, Morrison, Rowland, Sir Jn. Franklin; Mr. Harding, Coles, and Waggett, C. S.

30 *Sep.*, 1788.

Ordered, that £20 a year be paid to the widow of Ald. Baker during her life; *It.*, that the Waterbailiff's place and dues arising to the Corporation be sold by public auction on the Exchange on 13 Oct. next, the purchaser to pay one fourth in hand and give security for the other three quarters, and execute such deed as may be necessary for the execution of the office; *It.*, that an advertisement be put in the News Papers that the Mayor will receive proposals for keeping the coal barrels in repair and keep up the present number for seven years, there will be no preference as the proposals will not be opened but in council, on a day the Mayor will appoint.

It., that the coal measurers and coal porters be badged, and that they shall each give security for their good behaviour to the Mayor before they get a badge.

The Rev^d^. Wensley Bond, Dean of Ross, at the request of Sheriff Morrison, be admitted a freeman at large.

It., £48 7*s.* 2½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, for carpenter's work; *It.*, £18 7*s.* 5*d.* to said Hobbs for work at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £10 17*s.* 5½*d.* for work done at said Hospital; *It.*, £51 18*s.* to John Turner, for glazing work; *It.*, £2 14*s.* 8½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs for carpenter's work; *It.*, £12 to the Mayor for money paid by him.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Webb, Travers, Lawton, Carleton, Kent, Morrison; Mr. Harding, Willcocks, Coles, Puxley, and Waggett, C. S.

4 *Oct.*, 1788.

Many reports having been propagated that this Board intended to infringe on the rights of the freemen, They beg to mention that the public dues belonging to the Mayor, &c., arising out of ships coming to this harbour

were previous to 1761 sold by public auction, and to them was annexed the place of Water Bailiff, experience proving that no inconvenience arose.

The mode since pursued became a heavy weight on the Public revenues, and the intention of this Board in the order they conceived was, that the collection of the above dues should be annexed to the office of Waterbailiff free of expense, as formerly practised, and which would be a saving of £60 a year paid the Waterbailiff, and 30 guineas a year to the Dep. over and besides what the dues would on a sale produce, and what they have reason to suppose would fall very short of £200 a year, a matter of serious consequence in addition to the revenues.

These motives this Board, to make the order, submitted to the consideration of the Freemen, and if the majority of them should be of opinion with this Board, in the utility of the measure to increase the public revenues, This Board are very far from meaning to dispute the right of the Freemen to elect a Waterbailiff.

" Under specious appearances of economy I officially, but unwarily, signed the order (I would say) proposal of this Board of the 30 ult., for letting by public auction the office of Waterbailiff, and having since considered said order, that evils would arise therefrom, especially that of depriving Freemen of their chartered constitutional right of electing such magistrate; I therefore protest against said order, also against the subsequent proceedings of this Board relative thereto.

" Hu. Lawton."

" Corke, 4th October, 1788."

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Piersey, Mayor Elect; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Owgan, Lawton, Kent, Morrison, Kellett, Rowland; Mr. Izod, and Waggett, C. S.

15 *Oct.*, 1788.

Richard Purcell, Esq., Mayor.

Ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff on 29 Oct. inst., that the person elected shall hold the same until the Monday after 29 Sep. next, and under the terms following, He shall act in person as far as Blackrock, have no Deputy allowed except in times of sickness, or other extraordinary cause, then to be appointed and sworn by the Mayor, he must have a Deputy at Cove and another at Passage, to be appointed by the Mayor and Council and sworn by the Mayor, and removed

at the discretion of the Mayor and Council; 2ly., he is to observe the several regulations, orders, &c., relating to Ships, directed by an Act of Parliament passed in the 1st year of his present Majesty (*inter alia*) 'for the better regulating the harbour of Corke, &c.,' and shall see the same put in due practice and force, as far as they relate to the Harbour of Corke, have all penalties duly collected or distrained for, or the offenders brought to justice; 3ly, he shall faithfully execute all warrants, &c., directed to him, keep a book where the Plaintiffs' and Defendants' names are to be mentioned, the time and cause, or sum for which the same issued, to return said warrant to Court at the next sitting; 4ly, he shall enter in said book the fees or dues he shall collect, the names of the ships or other vessels, the master's name and the place from whence she is reported; 5ly, that the fees for granting warrants, &c., be as usually received by the Waterbailiffs, and be his property; 6ly, that all duties arising from Ships, &c., coming to this Harbour shall be as heretofore established; 7ly, he shall fix in all proper places sufficient Buoys, Poles, or Perches, as a guide to enable all mariners to avoid shoals or danger, and if any be removed by tempestuous weather, he is to put up others in their places; 8ly, he is to give notice to the Mayor when any banks, bars, &c., appear in any part of the river that may obstruct the passage or navigation or endanger ships, boats, &c., either at high or low water, and shall follow such instructions as the Mayor and Council shall give him in order to remove the same; 9ly, he is to give notice to the Mayor if any person whatever encroach on the strands in the river below the high water mark, by building any quays, houses, &c., within the harbour; 10ly, he is to give public notice, by writings affixed in several public places in this City, and also at Passage and Cove, where all vessels are to take any ballast out of the river, and also where any ballast shall be landed or discharged by any ship, boat, or other vessel, and also to publish same, &c., that no person may plead ignorance; 11ly, he must once a week at least go down the River as far as the spit end, to see that the perches, buoys, and poles are in good order, that no encroachments are begun, and that all other regulations are duly observed; 12ly, he is to take an exact account of all lighters and boats (ships' boats excepted) that belong to this river by their names, and the masters' or owners' names; he is during one whole year to deliver to every master of a ship coming into this harbour, or leave on board such ship, one of the printed regulations, and to affix

several of them in public places in this City, and at Cove, Passage, &c., to prevent persons from pretending ignorance; 13ly, he shall collect from any ship, bark, or vessel exceeding 20 tuns (which do not belong to a Freeman of this City,) who shall lay themselves to clean or grave in any place below high water mark 2*s.* 6*d.*, and forbid all other persons from claiming said duties, and give notice to the Mayor of any who do; 14ly, he shall keep an exact account of any money he shall disburse for Poles, Perches, or Buoys, removing any stones, &c., which he shall see dangerous to the navigation of this river, that same may be allowed him out of the dues collected, on stating his accounts, which he shall answer on oath; 15ly, he shall collect all such dues as are expressed in the foregoing resolutions; 16ly, his Deputies shall be liable to conform to those resolutions and observe them; 17ly, he shall at his own cost provide and keep in repair a boat to enable him to go through his duty on water, for which £10 yearly shall be allowed him; 18ly, he and his Deputy shall duly observe and obey all such orders, &c., as shall be delivered them in writing by direction from the Mayor and Council; 19ly, whoever shall be placed in this office shall be allowed one fourth part of the real produce of all dues he shall collect, together with the whole fees for serving any warrants, &c., and he shall have no right, title, &c., to demand any greater salary by virtue of any former right or title; 20th, he is to pass accounts monthly, or as often as required by such as may be appointed to examine them by the C. D. H. or by the Mayor and Council, and pay the balance to the Chamberlain; 21st, he shall take care that the Mayor's dues be collected without any rewards or charges to be paid by the Mayor.

And further, that the foregoing rules be binding on the person to be elected Waterbailiff, and in case the person elected be remiss or negligent in his duty, that the Mayor, &c., remove him from his office, on condition that the C. D. H. shall be duly assembled within eight days after, and have notice that they are to proceed to elect another person to serve as Waterbailiff.

It., that a contract be entered into by the Mayor, &c., with Mr. Walter Hussey Fitton, cooper, to keep the coal barrels in repair for seven years for the yearly sum of £20, and completeng any additional number at one guinea and an half each barrel, and one guinea each half barrel, giving security, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Orpen and Maylor; Aldcn. Webb, Travers,

Lawton, Owgan, Kellett, Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Waggett, C. S.

24 *Oct.*, 1788.

That Quintin Osborne, gent., having served Benj. Hayes, *do.*; Thomas Purcell, merch^t^., having served Richard Purcell, Esq., merch^t^. (the present Mayor); John Justice, jun., gent., having served Richard Purcell, Esq. (present Mayor); Edward Fuller, merch^t^., having served Thomas Waggett, *do.*; Edwd. Westcomb, clothier, having served Thos. Wood, *dec.*; Will. Wright, cooper, having served James Doherty, *do.*; Edwd. Collis, Esq., eldest son of Ald. C.; Hugh Taylor, gent., eldest son of John T., clothier, *dec.*; Henry Vereker, Esq., eldest son of Thos. V., of Roxborough, Esq.; James Langton, Esq., eldest son of James L., of Brury, Esq.; Will. Lee, clothier, having served Joseph Heard, *do.*; Thomas Hendley, eldest son of Richard H., clothier; Ebenezer Deaves, merch^t^., having served Abraham Church, *do.*; Saml. Godsell, Esq., eldest son of Ja^s^. G., Esq.; Edwd. Rowland Jackson, Esq., eldest son of Rowland J., Esq., M.D., late of Bengal; John Garde, Esq., eldest son of Thos. G., Esq.; Epinetus Crooke, cooper, having served John Cole, *do.*; James Lombard, Esq., eldest son of Rev^d^. Edmond Lombard, Clk.; Danl. Harris, cordwainer, having served Danl. Franklin, *do.*; Thomas Seward, gent., having served James Gregg, *do.*; Francis Woodley, jun., gent., eldest son of Francis W., Esq.; Saml. Austen, brewer, having served Rich^d^. Barrett, *do.*; John Welsh, eldest son of Will. W. clothier, *dec.*; John Wrixon, merch^t^., having served Jonathan Morgan, *do.*; Richard Stevens, silversmith, having served John Warner, *do.*; John Baldwin, jun., gent., eldest son of John B., gent., atty.; Thomas Collins, cooper, having served John Cole, *do.*; Joseph Harman, cooper, having served Andrew Hill, *do.*; James Penrose, Esq., eldest son of Cooper P., Esq.; Benjamin White, shopkeeper, having served Henry White, *do.*; Saml. Lester, cooper, having served William Newman, *do.*; William Bullen, Esq., eldest son of Robt. B., of Moneyparsons, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Orpen and Maylor; Ald^en^. Travers, Kent, Lawton, Webb, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Rowland; Mr. Willcocks, Mr. C. S., and Coles.

7 *Nov.*, 1788.

Ordered, that the Officers' Guard Room in Tuckey Street, Blackpool, and

the Shandon Guard Room be repaired; that a box-barrow and coal-box be provided for the Blackpool Guard Room; that shutters and counters be provided for the Bandle Cloth Market; a desk and fire-place in the office of the Clerk in the New Market; a pair of dishes for the scales in the North Market, and a mattress for the Officers' Guard Room at Blackpool.

It., that William Cottrell be appointed Deputy-Waterbailiff at Passage, and Walter Thornhill at Cove.

Whereas an application has been made this day to this Board by the body of Merchants of this City, stating that from the great increase of the trade thereof they are of opinion that it is necessary that the Waterbailiff should have an assistant to aid him in doing the duty at and from Cork to Blackrock, which, in their opinion, requires the attendance of both Principal and Deputy. In compliance thereof we appoint Robert Patterson to be Dep. Waterbailiff of the City of Corke.

It., 30 guineas a year to Robert Patterson as long as he shall continue Dep. Waterbailiff. *It.*, that a bond passed by the Mayor, &c., 7 May last, for £175, be cancelled, and a new bond passed by the Mayor, &c., to John Campbell and Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., trustees in a certain marriage settlement, made previous to the marriage of Capt. Thomas Bayly with Susanna Roberts, his present wife, for £175 at 6 *per cent.*

"Saml. Rowland enters a long protest against the election of a Dep. Water Bailiff, as opposed to the deliberate acts of this Council in a very full assembly held 15 Oct. last."

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldn. Travers, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, S. Rowland; Mr. Willcocks and Waggett, C. S.

5 *Dec.*, 1788.

Ordered, that Edwd. Davies be appointed Dep. Water Bailiff at Cove, in the room of Walter Thornhill, who has declined; *It.*, that a bond be passed by the Mayor, &c., for £217 10*s.* to Mr. John Shaw, with interest 6 *per cent.* until paid, for the purchase of his interest in two houses in Castle Street, heretofore agreed to be purchased from him on his conveying his interest to the Mayor; *It.*, that £300 be paid Mr. Will. Keyes, for the purchase of his interest in the ground whereon his dwelling-house lately stood in Castle Street, lately held by Mr. Barter, chandler; also the dwelling-

house in Castle Street, now in the possession of Mr. Madden, sadler, on his making out his title and conveying same to the Mayor. *It.*, that a contract be executed between the Mayor, &c., and Mr. John Bray, for 100 lamps erected in addition to 1500 lamps heretofore contracted for on the same terms and with like powers as are agreed on between the Mayor, &c., and said Bray, respecting said 1500 lamps. *It.*, £5 17*s.* to Arthur Haynes, tyler, for whitewashing the Mayoralty House and plaistering the kitchen.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Orpen; Ald^en^. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kingston, Sir J. Franklin, Rowland, Kent; Mr. Willcocks, Coles, and Kellett.

9 *Dec.*, 1788.

Ordered, that £1000 be paid the Right Worshipful the Mayor in full for his Salary.

The contract for repairing, &c., the coal barrels, not being finally carried into execution with Mr. Walter Hussey Fitton, he having this day declined without having possession of the barrels, which this Board are of opinion may be attended with loss to the collector of the coal revenue, the delivery being for that purpose necessary to be annexed to the office of Waterbailiff, and John Travers having offered to undertake said contract on said terms for three years, ordered, that the contract be entered into by the Mayor, &c., with said Travers.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Maylor; Ald^en^. Travers, Lawton, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Rowland, Kent; Mr. Willcocks and Coles.

22 *Dec.*, 1788.

Ordered, that £1 14*s.* 1½*d.* be paid the Widow Ballard, a quarter of a year's salary.

It., that the Memorial of Joseph Reed and Robert Travers, the Pages appointed by the Corporation to attend his Grace the Duke of Rutland, late Lo.-Lieut., be forwarded by the Clerk of the Council to the Rt. Hon. the Sec. of State, to be presented to the Lo.-Lieut. *It.*, 2 guineas to the Trustees of the Pipe Water Scheme, two years' pipe water to the Mansion House.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Travers, Sir J. Franklin, and Mr. Waggett, C. S.

31 *Dec.*, 1788.

Ordered, that the order of Council of 9 Dec. inst., that the sum of £1000 be paid the Mayor for his salary, be rescinded, and that the sum of £365 be paid out of the Corporation revenues to the Mayor, in lieu of like sum heretofore usually annually voted in the C. D. H. on the last Monday in June, as the salary for the Mayor for the then ensuing year, but which was not voted on the last Monday in June; *It.*, that a further sum of £635 be paid the Mayor in addition to the above sum of £365.

Jones Stavely, gent., admitted a freeman at the request of the Mayor.

This day William Jones, Esq., was unanimously elected Clerk of the Crown and Peace for the City and County of the City of Corke, in the room of John Snowe, Esq., *dec.*; *It.*, 20 guineas a year to Edm^d^. Roche Kinselagh, Esq., Dep. Clk. of Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor and both Sheriffs; Alden. Bury, Maylor, Webb, Travers, Owgan, Carleton, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Rowland, Kingston, Kellett; Mr. Izod and Willcocks.

14 *Jan.*, 1789.

Ordered, that 100 guineas be paid to Samuel Rowland, Esq., for the purchase of a piece of plate; *It.*, £200 to Hugh Trayer Lawton, Esq., to be expended by him in such manner as he shall choose; *It.*, 100 guineas to James Kingston, Esq., late Mayor, for his eminent services when Mayor.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Orpen; Alden. Travers, Owgan, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Butler, Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, and Waggett, C. S.

6 *Feb.*, 1789.

Jacob Biggs, clothier, having served Abraham and Will. Lane, *do.*, was admitted a freeman.

Ordered, that Ald. John Swete's share in the Pipe Water Scheme be sold on the Exchange on 12 March next, he having made default in payment of his subscription; *It.*, that £170 12*s.* 6*d.* be paid the Trustees of the pipe water scheme, agreeable to their order of 9 Aug. last; *It.*, that Ald. Kent buy 100 barrels of coals.

That Saml. Watson, cooper, having served John Cole; Cornet John Long-

field, eldest son of John L., of Longueville, co. Cork, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

It., that Robt. Travers, gent., be appointed to sweep Gratton Street and all the streets to the west of it, together with Anne Street, and from thence to the Fish Market, and that he shall have the sweeping for his own use; *It.*, £32 13*s.* to Messrs. Rowland and Danl. Morrison, for timber supplied; *It.*, £29 0*s.* 5*d.* to said R. and D. Morrison, for timber for S. Stephen's Hospital, to be charged on the loan, &c.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Kent, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Rowland; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Waggett, C. S.

24 *Feb.*, 1789.

Ordered, that 25 guineas be paid the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., and Sir J. Franklin, to be expended in putting Blackrock Castle in repair, and the offices belonging thereto; *It.*, that the person appointed to be Constable or Keeper of the Castle of Blackrock, shall be obliged, at his own expense, to keep the Castle and Offices in complete order and repair, and paint the same as often as this Board shall think fit; *It.*, that Thomas Shinkwin, Vintner, and one of the Freemen, be appointed Constable and Keeper of Blackrock Castle.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Webb, Travers, Owgan, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, S. Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Willcocks, Coles, and Waggett, C. S.

10 *March*, 1789.

Ordered, that the lot of ground to the front of the New Markets, between the houses of Mr. Morgan, shoemaker, and the South gateway into the Market, with liberty of building over the said gateway, be set by public auction, on the Exchange, on such day as the Mayor, &c., shall appoint for a term of 500 years from 25 March inst., and that the purchase shall in addition pay a fine of 50 guineas, and that the Mayor, &c., shall execute a lease, rent payable half-yearly.

It., that a passage be opened from Princes Street into the present Fowl Market, and that the houses and linneys at each side thereof which belong to the Corporation, be set by public auction, for one year, one fourth to be

paid on the day of setting, and the residue quarterly; *It.*, that the several houses in Castle Street, belonging to the Corporation, be set by auction on the Exchange, together or separate, for one year; *It.*, that James Lee's interest in a cellar held by him under Mrs. Daunt, adjoining the new markets, which he holds for the residue of 300 years, at a yearly rent of nine pounds, be purchased from him for 250 guineas, for the use of the Mayor, &c., and said yearly rent of £9 shall be paid as it becomes due; *It.*, that the Mayor, &c., pass the Corporation bond to said Lee, for 250 guineas, with interest till paid at 6 *per cent.*; *It.*, that £500 be taken up at the lawful interest, or that the same shall be raised by granting annuities not exceeding ten *per cent.* for the lives of the persons who shall advance the same or lend it, and that the Mayor, &c., shall execute a bond to the lenders, or deed of annuity, as done to former annuitants; *It.*, that an address of congratulation be prepared from the Mayor, &c., to be presented to His Maj. on his happy recovery.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Maylor; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, S. Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Willcocks, Coles, and Waggett, C. S.

19 *March*, 1789.

Ordered, that £4 11s. be paid to Thomas Owgan, Esq., one year's rent of a cellar held from him adjoining the Mayoralty house; *It.*, that an annuity of £30 be granted out of the revenues of the Corporation to Edmund Barrett, of Corke, wine cooper, for the life of his son Edmund B., now aged about 24 years, in consideration of £300 paid by said Edmund to the Chamberlain, for the use of the Mayor, &c.; *It.*, that the sum of £500, agreed at last C. D. H., to be raised at interest on an annuity, shall, when raised, be applied in opening the passage from Princes Street into the New Markets, and such other works as shall be necessary to make the Fowl and Fish Markets; *It.*, that the addresses now prepared from the Mayor, &c., to His Majesty, and His Excell. the Lo.-Lieut., be forwarded by the Mayor to our Recorder and Representatives, to be presented to His Excell. the Lo.-Lieut.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sᵣ. J. Franklin, Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Willcocks and Waggett.

7 *July*, 1789.

That the Right Rev^d. William Foster, Lord Bishop of Cork and Ross, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Ordered, that £3 3*s.* 8*d.* be paid to Sher. Orpen, so much paid by him for an express for carrying up the address of the Mayor, &c., to the King to Dublin; *It.*, 30 guineas to the Mayor, to provide an entertainment at Black Rock, in commemoration of 1 Aug.; *It.*, that the Corporation Bond for £500, at 6 *per cent.*, be passed to Mr. John Teulon, so much in discharge of the money due from the Corporation to Messrs. Hobbs and Flaherty, on account of their contracts for building the New Markets; *It.*, that an annuity of £15 be paid to Miss Harriet Fenton, in consideration of £150 paid the Chamberlain for the use of the Mayor, &c.; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Sir J. Franklin, Mr. Willcocks, and Coles, be a committee to examine the several accounts which have been given in to this board, and report; *It.*, that the above Committee and Town Clerk make an application to the several persons who have interest in that part of Castle Street from the centre gate of the late Market to the Exchange, and if necessary, that the commissioners for widening streets shall be summoned, and that such sums of money as shall be awarded by them to the several persons having interests therein, shall be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Orpen and Maylor; Ald^en. Lawton, Owgan, Kellett, Franklin, S. Rowland, Kingston, Travers, Butler, Kent; Mr. Izod, Harding, Coles, and Piersy, C. S.

17 *July*, 1789.

Ordered, that £89 6*s.* be paid Messrs. Shaw and Evanson for clothing for the Bellmen, Exchange Porter, Sargeants, Bailiffs, and Trumpeter, in Sept. and Oct., 1788; *It.*, £45 10*s.* to said Shaw and Evanson, for clothing supplied the boys bound apprentice from S. Stephen's Hospital, from Oct., 1787 to Feb., 1789; *It.*, £21 0*s.* 3½*d.* to Tim Hughes, for iron work; *It.*, £6 15*s.* 5*d.* to John Turner, glazier, for work done; *It.*, £1 12*s.* 4*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, for slating work; *It.*, 6*s.* 6⅓*d.* to said Hobbs, for work at S. Stephen's Hospital.

It., that the two lots of ground in Seymour's Lane, leading into the New Markets, be set separately as now laid out, by public auction for the term of 99 years, the purchasers to pay a fine of 30 guineas; *It.*, that the House and concerns in Princes Street purchased from the Rev^d^. Mr. Pick be set by public auction for the term of 99 years, the purchaser to pay a fine of 50 guineas; *It.*, that such reservations respecting light, party walls, &c., as the Mayor, &c., shall think necessary for the advantage of the adjacent ground belonging to the Corporation shall be reserved on such setting; *It.*, 100 guineas to Sir J. Franklin for one year, in consideration of his very great trouble in attending the building of the markets adjoining the new meat market and the improvements to be carried on in Castle Street.

That the Rt. Hon. David Latouche, Governor of the Bank of Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

It., £40 to David Roche, Esq., one year's rent of the Fowl Market and concerns adjoining; *It.*, £13 16*s.* 8*d.* to the Mayor, so much paid by him to John Driscoll for forty weeks' attendance and care of the New Wall, for the benefit of the navigation of the river from 4 Oct., 1788, to 12 July inst.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Lawton, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Izod, Harding, M.C., Willcocks, Coles, and Piersy, C. S.

24 *July*, 1789.

Ordered, that the several stalls in the New Meat Market or as many as the Mayor, &c., shall think fit, be set up to be let (for selling meat only) by public auction at the mart on 6 Aug. for a term not exceeding one year; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of Coals; *It.*, £2 14*s.* to the Mayor, so much paid by him for three days ringing the bells on His Majesty's happy recovery; *It.*, £7 19*s.* 11*d.* to Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicines for the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital, from May, 1788, to 6 July inst., and also £6 one year's attendance on the Boys of said Hospital; *It.*, £1 7*s.* 8½*d.* to the Mayor for linen, shoes, and stockings for the trumpeter; *It.*, £2 10*s.* 5*d.* to John Turner, painter and glazier, work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £92 16*s.* 5*d.* to William Flyn, printer, work done from 26 July, 1787, to 25 March, 1789; *It.*, £98 18*s.* 7½*d.* to James and John Knight, printers' work done from 25 Sep., 1787, to 25 March, 1789; *It.*, £7 17*s.* 1*d.* to Peter Butler, engraver, work done from Sep., 1787, to 15 May, 1789; *It.*, £50 18*s.* 8*d.* to W^m^. Flaherty for masons' work at

S. Stephen's Hospital from 3 Nov., 1787, to Dec., 1788; *It.*, £56 1*s.* 3*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Corporation Agent in Dublin, business done by him; *It.*, £21 0*s.* 2½*d.* to Wm. Flaherty, mason, work done.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldn. Butler, Lawton, Kent, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Harding, M.C., Willcocks, and Piersy, C. S.

21 *Aug.*, 1789.

Ordered, that an application be made to Mr. John Bray, Lamp Contractor, for £290 16*s.* 9*d.*, balance due from him of the money to be paid to the Mayor, &c., out of the first year's collection of Lamp money, and if not immediately paid, that the necessary steps be taken.

Whereas by an order of Council heretofore made it was ordered, that the sum of £200 should be paid to Hans Stewart, Esq., in part discharge of the Corporation Bond for £400, and that a bond should be passed to him for the remaining £200, and whereas the Corporation Bond to said Hans Stewart was for £500, ordered, that the further sum of £100 be paid to said Stewart to discharge the aforesaid Bond for £500; *It.*, that £28 2*s.* 11½*d.* be paid Saml. Hobbs, carpenters' work done; *It.*, £64 7*s.* 9*d.* to Messrs. Izod & Co. for candles; *It.*, that the Corporation ground backward of the houses in Castle Street, and the late Meat Market, be enclosed with a stone wall; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., and Sir J. Franklin do sell the several materials taken out of the old markets. *It.*, £2 5*s.* 10*d.* to Thomas Hardaway for sand, brooms, &c., for the Council Chamber; *It.*, £54 18*s.* 10½*d.* to W. Jones, Town Clerk, money paid and business done for the Corporation from July, 1788, to Aug., 1789; *It.*, £301 10*s.* 4*d.* to Messrs. Hobbs and Flaherty, balance due for finishing the New Markets. Whereas on furnishing the several accounts of the work for building the Meat Markets it was thought necessary that such work should be measured on behalf of the Corporation, ordered, that 30 guineas be paid Messrs. Kearnes and Mahony for measuring same; *It.*, that the opinion of such two council as shall be chosen by the managers named by the C. D. H. for commencing a suit for disfranchising John Justice be taken by the Town Clerk, whether they consider such suit can be carried on with effect.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Orpen and Maylor; Aldn. Butler, Lawton, Morrison, Sr. J. Franklin, Kent, Kingston; Mr. Izod, Piersy, C. S., and Willcocks.

1 *Sep.*, 1789.

Ordered, that Gateage Tolls and other City Customs be set by public cant, &c. (conditions as usual).

It., that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year.

That Thomas Carew, son of the Rev^d. John Russell Carew, having served John Teulon, merch^t.; John Boyce, eldest son of Thomas Boyce of Tallow, clothier; Pope Gray, Jun., merch^t., having served his father, Pope G., *do.;* John Travers, Esq., eldest son of Robert T., Esq.; William Daunt, cooper, having served James Doherty; John Carr, eldest son of James C., merch^t.; Richard Squirrell, Tallow chandler, having served Thomas Hewett; Thomas McCall, merch^t., a Protestant stranger, paying 20*s.;* Edward Orpen, of Kilowen, Esq., brother to Sher. Orpen and at his request; George Knapp, Esq., one of the Land waiters, at the request of Sheriff Maylor; Robert Harding, of Drownsallagh, co. Limerick, gent.; Robert Gibbings, Esq., M.D.; Lieut. William Augustus Kellett, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £46 14*s.* 6*d.* to Timothy Hughes for iron work; *It.*, £267 18*s.* 5½*d.* to said Hughes for Lamp irons; *It.*, £61 9*s.* 3*d.* to said Hughes, work done; *It.*, £88 8*s.* 6½*d.* to said Hughes for *do.; It.*, £10 16*s.* 8*d.* to said Hughes for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £39 16*s.* 3*d.* to Robt. Reeves, jun., agent in Dublin, for procuring a clause to be introduced to Parliament, for granting the fines belonging to the Corporation to be levied by the collector of forfeited recognizances, by which means they would be lost to the City, from being included in the act for receiving them from other counties and cities; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., and the Mayor and Sheriff elect, when sworn into office shall have power to set so many of the stalls in the new Meat Market to such persons as they think fit, for any term not exceeding seven years, at not less than 5*s.* a week for each stall.

That Daniel Coughlan, clothier, having served Henry Sadlier, *do.*, be admitted free.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Orpen and Maylor, Mayor Elect; Alden. Travers, Butler, Lawton, Kent, Morrison; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Piersy, C. S.

19 *Sep.*, 1789.

Ordered, that £29 6*s.* 8*d.* be paid Messrs. Shaw and Evanson for cloth

and velvet for furnishing the Corporation Gallery in S. Peter Church; *It.*, £20 3*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Joseph Harrison for gold lace for furnishing the above gallery; *It.*, £4 3*s.* 4½*d.* to the Mayor, expenses at the Mayoralty House; *It.*, that the House and premises called the Phœnix Tavern, with the yard belonging thereto be taken from Sir Robert Warren, Bart., and Augustus Warren, Esq., by lease, for the term of 999 years at the yearly rent of £20; *It.*, that the Corporation Bond for £475 7*s.* 5*d.* be passed to Timothy Hughes, to carry interest at 6 *per cent.* in full for his demands; *It.*, £25 1*s.* 2*d.* to Mr. Carden Terry, silversmith, in full for his account from May, 1788, to July, 1789; *It.*, that £430 due from the Corporation to Messrs. Hobbs and Flaherty, on account of the New Markets, be secured by the Corporation bond, carrying interest at 6 *per cent.*; *It.*, £6 1*s.* 3*d.* to Thomas White for oils and colours for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £16 13*s.* 1⅓*d.* to John Warner, silversmith, for work done from June, 1787, to June, 1789; *It.*, that several stalls in the New Meat Markets, as the Mayor, &c., shall think fit, be set by public auction for a term of seven years, rent payable weekly, leases to be executed by the Mayor, &c., with such clauses as they shall think proper; *It.*, that three quarters' salary at six guineas a year be paid to Mary Ballard for attending the Mayor's office and Exchange.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Rowland, Travers, Butler, Kent, Kellett, Morrison; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, and Piersy, C. S.

4 *Nov.*, 1789.

Henry Harding, Esq., Mayor.

Sheriffs Johnson and Harding were sworn of the Council.

Ordered, that £25 5*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Richard Purcell, Esq., late Mayor, in addition to 30 guineas before ordered, for an entertainment at Blackrock 1 Aug.; *It.*, that the ground whereon the Fish Market stands be set by public auction for 500 years; *It.*, £6 6*s.* 9*d.* to Mrs. Hannah Mayberry for stationery furnished; *It.*, that the dwelling house on the Grand Parade now in the tenancy of Joseph Morgan, be set up by public auction for 50 years, the purchaser to pay a fine of 50 guineas.

That Robert Hedges, of Mount Hedges, Esq.; the Hon. Abraham Hely Hutchinson; and Robt. Strettell, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Johnson; Ald^en^. Travers, Butler, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Purcell, Kent, Lawton, and Kellett; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Puxley, Piersy, C. S., and Coles.

23 *Jan.*, 1790.

Ordered, that an address be presented to the Lord Lieut. on his arrival in this kingdom, and that he be presented with his Freedom in a Gold Box; the address to be presented by our Recorder and representatives; also the Rt. Hon. Robt. Hobart, Prin. Sec. to Lo.-Lieut., in a Silver Box.

It., that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of coals; *It.*, 25 guineas to Mr. R. Morrison, to go to Dublin to prove the allegations of a petition to Parliament for money for repairing the New Wall; *It.*, £54 16*s.* 2½*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson for clothing for the Bellmen, Sergeants, and Bailiffs; *It.*, £38 9*s.* 0½*d.* to Mr. Philip Allen for lace, &c., for the above clothing; *It.*, £14 9*s.* 9*d.* to Rowland Purcell, Esq., for Newspapers and small charges for the Mansion House during his Mayoralty; £40 to David Roche, Esq., one year's rent of the Fowl Market; *It.*, £4 15*s.* 2*d.* for two Abridgements for the Town Clerk; *It.*, £20 to Mr. Christ. Allen, two years' rent for the ground used as an Apple Market; *It.*, that Mr. Allen be given notice, that the Corporation will have no further use of said ground after 1 March next; *It.*, £1 5*s.* to Mr. Willcocks for advertising in Waterford and Dublin for Flags for the markets; £6 17*s.* 4*d.* to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., for stationery for the Public office at the Mansion House; *It.*, one guinea to James Triggs for keeping the bells of the Mansion House in repair two years; *It.*, £2 1*s.* 4*d.* to the late Mayor, law expenses of an action issued against him by Thomas Shinkwin, amount of the public dinner at Blackrock.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Harding and Johnson; Ald^en^. Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Purcell; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Piercy, C. S.

11 *Feb.*, 1790.

That Peter Besnard, merch^t^., eldest son of Julius Besnard; George Pigott, Esq., eldest son of Col. Thomas Pigott; Benj. Hayes, jun., Esq., eldest son of Benj. Hayes, Esq., Atty.-at-Law; George Roche, of Bristol, merch^t^., eldest son of David Roche, of Limerick, Esq.; Cornelius Mahony,

eldest son of Mortogh Mahony, *dec.;* Jasper Lucas, gent., eldest son of Thomas Lucas, *do.;* Richard Lloyd, eldest son of Rich^d^. Lloyd, *dec.;* Nicholas George Seymour, founder, eldest son of George Seymour, *do.;* William Winthrop, gent., eldest son of Stephen Winthrop, Esq., *dec.;* Clayton Litchfield, eldest son of John Litchfield, Linen Draper; Joseph Harding, gent., eldest son of Rt. Worshipful Henry Harding, Esq.; Rt. Rev^d^. Richard Lo.-Bp. of Cloyne; and Rev. Dean John Barry, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Harding and Johnson; Ald^en^. Travers, Lawton, Sir J. Franklin, S. Rowland, Purcell; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Westropp, and Coles.

19 *Feb.*, 1790.

Ordered, that £105 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid to Mr. Will. Cain, for the purchase of the interest in a dwelling-house in Castle Street, held by him for a long term of years, at the yearly rent of £10, on his making out a title and conveying his interest to the Mayor, &c.

That Hugh Swayne, Esq., Lieut. in H. M. Artillery, eldest son of John Swayne, of Youghal, Esq.; John Westropp, Esq., eldest son of Ralph Westropp, of Attiflinn, co. Clare, Esq.; Will. Henn, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, eldest son of Hon. Justice Henn; Rich^d^. Boyle Burt, eldest son of Rich^d^. Burt, glazier; Daniel Connell, gent., having served Thomas Chatterton, Esq., Atty.-at-Law; Saml. Randal Wily, having served John Barcroft Haughton, shopkeeper; George Perrier, merch^t^., having served Thos. Burnett, *do.;* Will. Reynolds, silversmith, having served Will. Reynolds and John Warner, *do.;* Richard Smyth, cooper, having served William Harris, *do.;* George Cotter, mercht., having served John Cotter, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large; and the Rt. Hon. Vis. Doneraile, Rt. Hon. Arthur Wolfe, H. M. Atty.-Gen., in a Silver Box, and John Toler, Esq., H. M. Solicitor-General, in a Silver Box.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs Johnson and Harding; Ald^en^. Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Rowland, S^r^. J. Franklin; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Piersy, C. S. Westropp and Coles.

23 *Feb.*, 1790.

Ordered, that the Petition signed by this Board and by the Merchants and Traders of the City of Corke, praying the restoration of the appoint-

ment of Weigh Masters of this City to the Mayor and Aldermen, be forwarded to our representatives, to be presented to the Hon. House of Commons, and that circular letters be written to the several Members of the House of Commons, who are Freemen of this City, requesting their aid, and that Ald. Rowland be requested to go to Dublin from this Board, with such gentlemen as the merchants shall appoint, to solicit the presentation of said Petition.

That William Cooke, victualler, having served Edward Cooke, *do.;* Henry Bruen, Esq., M.P. for Jamestown; Christ. Cole, cooper, having served John Cole, *do.;* Thomas Wise, tanner, having served Francis Wise, *do.;* Maurice Atkin, Esq., eldest son of Walter Atkin, Esq.; Ephraim White, grocer, at the request of the Mayor; Mr. Thomas Cole, at the request of Sher. Harding; Will. Beamish, mercht., at the request of Sher. Johnson, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £20 a year to Mrs. Mary Newman, widow of the late Ald. Newman; *It.*, 7 guineas to Thomas Power, for striking the assize of bread during the Mayoralty of Ald. Purcell.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Rowland, Purcell; Mr. Willcocks and Westropp.

26 *Feb.*, 1790.

That the Rt. Hon. Sir John Parnell, Chancellor of the Exchequer, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Ordered, that £11 8*s.* 3*d.* be paid Edm^d^. Roche Kinselagh, so much paid by him to John Driscoll, Watchman and Ferryman at the Navigation Wall, for 33 weeks, at 6*s.* 11*d.* per week.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Johnson; Ald^en^. Webb, Travers, Butler, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Rowland, Kingston, and Franklin; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, and Westropp.

5 *March*, 1790.

Ordered, that £283 be paid Charles Denroch, Esq., for the purchase of the interest in two houses in Castle Street, held by him for a long term of years, and that a bond for the above sum be passed to Mr. Denroch, on his executing proper deeds to carry interest at 6 *per cent.; It.*, £15 18*s.* 6*d.* to James Haly, for curing the chimneys in the Mayoralty House of smoke-

ing; *It.*, £4 11*s.* to Thomas Owgan, Esq., one year's rent of a cellar used as a Coach House to the Mayoralty; *It.*, £10 to Thomas Whitley, for the injury he sustained to his property by a violent mob in Jan., 1788.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Webb, Travers, Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Purcell; Mr. Izod, Coles, and Piersy, C. S.

30 *March*, 1790.

Ordered, that £3 5*s.* 7½*d.* be paid Mr. George Harris, late Church Warden, for the Minister's money and Parish rate of the Mansion House; *It.*, £7 to George Barber, for upholsterer's work to be done in the Corporation Gallery of Christ Church, pursuant to estimate, and that Sher. Johnson and the Church Wardens be overseers thereof; *It.*, £1 11*s.* 6*d.* to John Casey, card-maker for council cards furnished in Ald. Purcell's Mayoralty; *It.*, £4 3*s.* 6½*d.* to William Alexander, High Constable, expenses in the preservation of the peace; *It.*, 5 guineas to Sher. Johnson and Mr. Kinselagh, for clothing for Thomas Burke, who attends the public office at the Mayor's; *It.*, £1 0*s.* 8*d.* to Thos. Bennett, Constable, expenses of a Sarjeant and Corporal for preserving the Peace at Cork Fair; *It.*, that two lots of the Ground in Castle Street, belonging to the Corporation, of 21 feet and a half each, beginning at the entrance into the County Court House, be set by public Auction for 500 years, the purchaser to pay a fine of 50 guineas.

That Peter William Dumas, eldest son of Peter Dumas; Thomas Fuller, mercht., eldest son of Thomas Fuller and Edward Riggs White, eldest son of Benj. White, gent., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that the old materials of the Houses in Castle Street be set by auction.

That William Frith, cooper, having served Thornhill Archer and James Dixon, *do.*; Will. Edwd. Penrose, mercht., having served Cooper Penrose, *do.*; Joseph Wheeler, shipwright, having served Will. Harrington, *do.*; John Whitefoot, cooper, having served Robt. Eason, *do.*; Rev^d^. Edwd. Henry Hoare, eldest son of Edwd. Hoare, Esq.; Thomas Burgh, Esq., Accountant-General; John Hoskins, gent., having served Benj. Hayes, Atty.-at-Law, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £49 3*s.* 11½*d.* to Mr. John Shaw, interest due to him on the money agreed to be given him for the purchase of his interest in Castle Street.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Johnson; Ald^en^. Webb, Travers, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Purcell; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Coles, Piersy, C. S.

23 *April*, 1790.

That Abraham Jackson, cooper, having served Francis Jackson, *do.;* Robert Jackson, Esq., eldest son of Robert Jackson, of Grange, in the King's Co., Esq.; John Blennerhassett, Esq., eldest son of William Blennerhassett, Esq.; William Markham, Esq., eldest son of Thomas Markham, mercht.; Thomas Beale, gent., eldest son of George Beale; William Wise, eldest son of Francis Wise, tanner; Joseph Harvey, eldest son of Reuben Harvey, mercht.; Peter Cambridge, mercht., eldest son of Peter Cambridge, mercht., *dec.;* George Vesey, Esq., eldest son of Francis Vesey, Esq.; Rev^d^. Edwd. Herbert, Clk., eldest son of Edward Herbert, Esq., *dec.;* John Bass, Jun., having served Philip and Aylmer Allen, brewers; Saml. Perry, Esq., eldest son of Will. Perry, Esq.; Saml. Richard Perry, Esq., eldest son of Rich^d^. Perry, Esq.; Edward Hoare, Esq., eldest son of Robt. Hoare, Esq. of Factory Hill; Francis Adams, Jun, victualler, eldest son of Francis Adams, *do.;* Francis Archer White, Esq., eldest son of Ephraim White, grocer; William Robert Adams, mercht., having served Jonathan Adams, *do.;* Saml. Townsend, Esq., eldest son of Edward Townsend, of Whitehall, Esq.; William Harding, gent., eldest son of Robt. Harding of Droumsallagh, co. Limerick, gent.; John Fair, cooper, having served Ferdinand Spiller, *do.;* Montgomery Jennings, mercht., having served Paul Baker, *do.;* Edward Collis, Esq.; Hely Hutchinson O'Connor, gent., having served Jam^s^. O'Connor, Esq., Atty.-at-Law; John Godwin, eldest son of John Godwin, chandler; John Gustavus Crosbie, Esq., eldest son of Charles Crosbie, Esq.; Richard Boles, Esq., eldest son of Thomas Boles, Esq.; Abraham Lane, mercht., having served Peter Johnson, *do.;* James Butler Stopford, eldest son of Rev. James Stopford, *dec.;* Solomon Harris, mercht., having served George Newsom, *do.;* Alexander Hamilton, Esq., eldest son of Hon. Baron Hamilton; Jonas Travers, gent., eldest son of Jonas Travers, Esq.; John Stammers, shipwright, having served Kyrle Ward, *do.;* William Simmons, shipwright, having served Kyrle Ward; Richard Purcell, Esq., eldest son

of Goodwin Purcell, mercht., *dec.;* William Baldwin, Esq., eldest son of Henry Baldwin, Esq.; Thomas Williams, victualler, having served Richard Williams, *do.;* Jones Harrison, Esq., eldest son of John Harrison, Esq.; Roger Hendley, jun., gent., having served Earbery Hendley, of Dublin, Atty.-at-Law; Danl. Pierce, cooper, having served John Jappie, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Johnson; Ald^en^. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Sir Sam. Rowland, Kingston, Purcell; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Piersy, C. S.

28 *April*, 1790.

That George Dunn, cooper, having served Arthur Achteson, *do.;* Danl. Lane, cooper, having served Will. Newman, *do.;* Ralph Weston, eldest son of John Weston, barber, *dec.;* William Lapp, Esq., eldest son of John Lapp, merch^t^.; Robert Johnson, Esq., eldest son of James Johnson, Esq.; Richard Cavendish, Esq., eldest son of Sir Henry Cavendish, Bart.; Will. Harvey, Esq., eldest son of Rev^d^. Christ. Harvey; Rev^d^. Abraham Stuart, Clk., eldest son of Abraham Stuart, Esq.; Edward Roche, Esq., eldest son of Edmond Roche, Esq.; John F. Whiting, eldest son of Hugh Whiting, gent., *dec.;* Glenham Beech, cotton manufacturer, having served Henry Sadlier, *do.;* Thomas Merry, cotton manufacturer, having served Henry Sadlier, *do.;* Gabriel Fisher, mercht., having served Reuben Harvey, *do.;* David Mellefont, Esq., eldest son of David Mellefont, Esq., *dec.;* John Leckey, having served Francis Harvey, merch^t^.; John Haughton, having served John Barcroft Haughton, shopkeeper; Joseph Pike, gent., eldest son of Ebenezer Pike, Banker, *dec.;* Thomas Elliott, eldest son of Joseph Elliott, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Johnson; Ald^en^. Webb, Owgan, Westropp, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and C. S.

28 *May*, 1790.

That the Hon. Lorenzo Hely Hutchinson and Richard White, of Bantry, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that such of the present takers of the stalls in the New Market, as shall not come in and sign leases agreeable to their respective biddings,

on or before 1 July next, shall be deemed no longer tenants, and such leases shall be sold by public auction. *It.*, that £100 be borrowed at 6 *per cent.* interest, to pay the purchase of Mr. Wm. Cam's interest in a house and concerns in Castle Street; *It.*, £20 to David Roche, Esq., half year's rent of the late Fowl Market; *It.*, £32 10*s.* 0*d.* to William Coles, Esq., expenses of altering, flooring, and painting the Mayor's Gallery in Lower Shandon Church; *It.*, £11 12*s.* 8*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, slater, for repairing the North and South Milk Market and South Meat Market; *It.*, £1 2*s.* 9*d.* to Jasper Ford for engraving a Council plate.

The Council, sensible of the good conduct of William O'Bryon Drury, Esq., Comr. of H. M. Ship Squirrel, have resolved to confer on him, as a mark of their approbation, the Honorary Freedom of this City.

It., £3 14*s.* 8*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, tyler, for work done; *It.*, £8 19*s.* 10*d.* to Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicines for S. Stephen's Hospital, and £6 for one year's attendance on the Boys; *It.*, that the ground whereon the old Fish Market stood, and which was lately set for building a new Bridewell, be reset, as said Bridewell is not now to be built; *It.*, £3 0*s.* 6*d.* to George Barber for ropes and for the scales in the New Market; *It.*, a year's salary to Mary Ballard; *It.*, £10 to John Johnson, the rent of the rooms made use of by the Sergeants-at-Mace for keeping goods attached.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldn. Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Webb, Purcell, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Willcocks, Coles, Piersy, C. S., Izod, and Westropp.

6 *July*, 1790.

That the Rt. Revd. Will. Bennet, Lo. Bp. of Cork and Ross, be presented with his freedom in a silver box; also John Leland, Esq., Governor of Cork, in a silver box; and Richard Cumberland, Esq., Bartle Donhigg, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, the Sheriffs assistant at the late Election of Members for this City, freemen at large; *It.*, £158 0*s.* 2*d.* to George Seymour, Pewterer, work done; *It.*, that £150 be borrowed at interest to pay the above money, and that the Mayor, &c., do execute a Bond carrying interest at 6 *per cent.*; Whereas, it appears, by the oath of the Lamp Contractor, that from 1 Sep., 1787, to 1 July, 1790, the several deficiencies in his affidavit, amounting to £353 5*s.* 7*d.*, arose in the money appointed by the Mayor, &c., to be levied for the erecting, lighting, &c., the lamps of this City and

Suburbs, and the parishes of Christ Church, S. Nicholas, S. Paul, S. Ann Shandon, S. Finbarry, S. Peter, and S. Mary Shandon; ordered, that said sum of £353 5*s.* 7*d.* be added to the money appointed to be raised for erecting, &c., lamps in this City and Suburbs; *It.*, that 100 barrels of coals be bought for the use of the Corporation; *It.*, £9 18*s.* 7*d.* to George Barber, work done at the Mansion House; *It.*, £9 2*s.* to Sir Saml. Rowland and the Rev^d. Archdeacon Austen for painting the Mayor's Gallery at S. Peter's Church; *It.*, £10 6*s.* 3*d.* to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., for money paid by him for the Corporation; *It.*, £9 13*s.* 2*d.* to Edmond Barnes for News Papers; *It.*, £108 18*s.* 1½*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Corporation Agent in Dublin, cost of obtaining the King's letter for drawing out of the Exchequer the Fines paid therein; *It.*, £9 12*s.* 5½*d.* to Robt. Reeves, the cost of obtaining the Lord-Lieu^t's. Warrant for drawing the fines paid by Sheriffs Orpen and Maylor.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Travers, Owgan, Kent, Sir S. Rowland, Purcell; Mr. Willcocks and Sadler, C. S.

23 *July*, 1790.

In pursuance of the powers given us by the Act for the regulation of the City, the Mayor, &c., do fix 1600 Globe lamps for the City and Suburbs, not being nearer to each other than 15 yards (except at the front of any public building), nor at a greater distance than 30 yards, to commence lighting 9 August every year, and continue burning, from sun setting to sun rising, until 9 June following; each lamp to have a burner with two lights, to be supplied with good cotton wick of not less than 20 threads, with spermaceti oil, to be cleaned every day, and snuffed once or oftener every night so as to afford a clear light, and we further fix the sum of 19*s.* shall be paid for lighting, &c., each of said lamps from 9 Aug. to 9 June during the term; we shall contract for lighting the same amounting in the whole to the yearly sum of £1520.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Johnson; Ald^en. Webb, Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Coles and Sadlier, C. S.

27 *July*, 1790.

Ordered, that the Gateage tolls and other Customs of the City be set (conditions as usual). *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Mayor Elect, Sir

J. Franklin, Sir Saml. Rowland, and Mr. Willcocks, be a committee to attend the setting of the above Tolls; *It.*, £17 8*s.* 5*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Esq., Corporation Agent in Dublin, for business done; *It.*, £54 12*s.* 4*d.* to Mr. Jones, town clerk, for his account from July, 1789, to July, 1790; *It.*, £6 1*s.* 10½*d.* to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., Sword Bearer, from 1784 to this time; *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year.

On account of the inability of the Mayor to go down the river, to commemorate the anniversary of 1 Aug., the public celebration thereof is dispensed with.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Johnson; Alden. Travers, Owgan, Sir S. Rowland; Mr. Willcocks and Sadlier, C. S.

30 *Aug.*, 1790.

Humphry Crowly, Esq., Mayor.

Whereas, by the death of the Rt. Worshippfull Henry Harding, Esq., late Mayor, no contract could be entered into for lighting the Lamps, &c., it is now necessary to make this further order for that purpose (conditions same as those of 23 July), and we further fix the sum of £43 6*s.* 8*d.* be paid for providing new Globe Heads for 400 of said lamps at the further sum of £20 yearly; *It.*, £60 for painting the Mansion House inside and outside, under the direction of the Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sheriffs, Ald. Kent, and C. S.; *It.*, 6 guineas, for colouring and repairing the front of the Mansion House, to William Mara; *It.*, £15 5*s.* 8*d.* to said Mara, for whitening the inside of the Mansion House; *It.*, £16 9*s.* to the Mayor Elect, for carpetting for two rooms in the Mayoralty; *It.*, £40 for curtains for the beds and windows, repairing bedsteads, globes, &c., for the Mayoralty; *It.*, £7 8*s.* 3*d.* to James Fitzgerald, for papering the Mayoralty House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Alden. Webb, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Purcell; Mr. Willcocks, and Sadlier, C. S.

3 *Sep.*, 1790.

Ordered, that £250 be paid Miss Mary Ann Harding, daughter of Henry Harding, Esq., late Mayor, who died in office.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald. Kingston and C. S.

17 *Sep.*, 1790.

That Philips Crosby, Esq., Commodore and Com.-in-chief on this station, be presented with his freedom in a silver box.

Ordered, that the old materials on the ground lately taken by Mr. Shaw, in Castle Street, be sold.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Johnson; Ald^en^. Webb, Travers, Kent, Sir John Franklin; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Westropp, and Sadlier, C. S.

24 *Sep.*, 1790.

That the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Corke, now in this City, be presented with his freedom in a silver box.

Ordered, that £250 be paid to the Mayor, in addition to the quarter's salary, for his extraordinary exertions, and towards recompensing him for undertaking it at the time he did; *It.*, £11 18*s.* 5*d.* to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., expenses paid by him at the Mayoralty House; *It.*, £12 10*s.* 8*d.* to the Sheriffs, expenses for preserving the peace since being in office; *It.*, £14 16*s.* 10*d.* to Richard Purcell, Esq., and Mr. Will. Alexander, expenses they were put to in Mr. Purcell's Mayoralty in committing some persons who were breaking the peace to Bridewell; *It.*, 8 guineas to the Town Clerk, so much paid the Dep. Recorder, 8 guineas paid Counc. Chatterton, and £8 19*s.* 9*d.*, costs of different opinions taken; *It.*, that the materials of the old Milk Market near the Bridewell be sold; *It.*, £24 18*s.* 5*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Esq., his account in full; *It.*, £2 4*s.* 9½*d.* to Thomas Hardaway, his account; *It.*, 2 guineas to Mary Bollard, her salary; *It.*, 5 guineas to Saml. Andrews, for drawing different plans of different parts of the City; *It.*, £30 to Henry Knight, Chandler, his interest in the concerns held from Mr. Keyes; *It.*, that the Mayor, the Mayor and Sheriffs Elect, Sir John Franklin, Sir Saml. Rowland, and Mr. C. S. be committee to inspect all tradesmen's and other accounts.

Present—Mr. Mayor and both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Webb, Travers, Purcell; Kingston, Sir. J. Franklin; Mr. Izod, Westropp, and Sadlier, C. S.

14 *Oct.*, 1790.

Richard Harris, Esq, Mayor.

Ordered, that the Sheriffs and Town Clerk wait on the Lo.-Lieut., now at

Lord Kingston's, at Mitchelstown, to invite him to fix a day to dine with the Corporation.

Present — The Mayor, Sher. Fergusson, and Hayes, the late Mayor; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Travers, Owgan, Kent, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Purcell; Mr. Willcocks and Sadlier, C. S.

23 *Oct.*, 1790.

That Isaac Corry, Esq., Com. of H. M. Revenue, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Purcell, late Mayor; Mr. Willcocks, Webb, Sadlier, C. S., and Puxley.

30 *Nov.*, 1790.

Ordered, that £4 11*s.* 6½*d.* be paid Carden Terry, silversmith, for a Silver Box for Lord Cork with his freedom and for repairing the Maces; *It.*, £11 11*s.* 7½*d.* to Ald. Crowly for printing work in his Mayoralty; *It.*, £231 2*s.* 3½*d.* to the Mayor for several articles of furniture purchased by him for the Mayoralty house preparatory to the Lord-Lieutenant's Entertainment, and for providing the Entertainment; *It.*, £21 10*s.* 11*d.* to the Sheriffs and Town Clerk, expenses of two journeys to Mitchelstown to invite the Lo.-Lieut.; *It.*, £13 2*s.* 10*d.* to E. R. Kinselagh, paid by him to the person who has the care of the navigation wall for 38 weeks.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fergusson and Sir Henry Hayes; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Sir Samˡ. Rowland, Kingston, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Mr. C. S.

11 *Jan.*, 1791.

Ordered, that a pension of £15 a year be paid to Mrs. Margaret Coles, widow of the late Mr. Wᵐ. Coles, one of the Burgesses of this City in Council; *It.*, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, £4 11*s.* to Ald. Owgan for one year's rent of a cellar, now used as a coach house to the Mansion House.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, and Sadlier, C. S.

8 *Feb.*, 1791.

That Noble Johnson Lindsay, having served Messrs. Charles Denroch and John Thompson; Henry Townsend Daly, having served Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Atty. and Not. Pub.; George Atkins, merch^{t}., having served Richard Harris, Esq. (present Mayor); James Crofts, merch^{t}., having served Henry Sadlier, *do.;* Mountiford Westropp, gent., son of Palms Westropp, Esq., Ald.; Denham Jephson, Esq., M.P. for Mallow; Arthur O'Connor, Esq., M.P. and High Sheriff of Co. Cork; Robert Uniacke Fitz Gerald, Esq., of Corkbeg; James Purcell, Esq., of Kanturk; Anthony Ferguson, Esq., Assistant Examinator of the Customs; John Eagan, Esq., M.P. for Tallow; John Philpott Curran, Esq., M.P. for Rathcormack; Hon. Colin Lindsay, Esq., Lieut.-Col. 46 Regt.; Hon. George Rawdon, Major 16 Reg^{t}. Foot, be presented with their freedom at large.

Ordered, £5 15*s.* 6½*d.* to George Barber, money expended by him for the Corporation during the Mayoralty of Ald. Sir Saml. Rowland; *It.*, 7 guineas to Henry Townsend Daly, for trouble in calculating the middle price of wheat, flour, and oats, to regulate the assize of bread, and for calculating the middle average and medium price of all the corn bought in this City to return weekly to the Collector of the Port.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^{en}. Travers, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Puxley, and Westropp.

4 *March*, 1791.

Mr. Busteed sworn a member of the Council.

This day Mr. Ald. Crowly, Sheriff Fergusson, Mr. Izod and Willcocks a committee of this Board to meet a Committee of Merchants to consider of a proper mode of applying to Parliament for a restoration of the right of appointing Weigh Masters, made the following report: For the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Cork.

Report of the Committee of Council appointed to meet the Merchants, Sunday, 16 Jan., 1791.

"Your Committee agreed with the Merchants to send a Petition to Parliament praying a restoration of the ancient right of the Corporation to appoint Weigh Masters for the City of Cork, a copy of which Petition is

hereunto annexed, conformable to that presented last session of Parliament.

"Your Committee also agreed with the Merchants, and Resolved, that said Petition shall be immediately drawn for the signature of the Mayor, Corporation, Merchants, and traders of this City, and forthwith transmitted to the Members for presentation to Parliament.

"Resolved, that the Mayor be requested to write to our Representatives, and to such Members of both Houses of Parliament as are Freemen of this City, and particularly to the Lord-Lieutenant's Secretary, Major Hobart, the Speaker of the H. C., and the Chancellor of the Exchequer for their Patronage.

"Resolved, that the Mayor be also requested to write to the Rt. Hon. John Hely Hutchinson, Sec. of State, soliciting his patronage and support and thanking him for his able assistance last session to a petition on the same subject.

"Your Committee also agreed that Sir Saml. Rowland, on part of the Corporation and Mr. John Anderson named by the Merchants, are proper persons to go to Dublin with the petition.

"Humphry Crowly, Kevan Izod, William Willcocks, Charles Fergusson.

Petition.

"To the Rt. Hon. and Hon. the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses in Parliament assembled.

"The Petition of the Mayor, Sheriffs, Aldermen, Merchants, and Traders of the City of Corke.

"Sheweth—That the foreign Commerce of the City of Cork is productive of a large annual revenue to his Majesty, and a considerable source of wealth not only to the industrious inhabitants but to the kingdom in general. That the inhabitants long laboured under difficulties arising from the shallowness of the Channel of the Harbour between the Custom House Quay and Blackrock, which occasioned great delay, expense, and obstruction to the trade of said City, and tended to advance the commerce of rival nations. That by the aid of Parliament a wall and tracking bank of considerable length has been erected and carried on the verge of a part of the said channel, the shoals have been deepened and partly removed, the ill effects of contrary winds have been guarded against, expense and delay

injurious to commerce have been diminished, and traffic is now carried on with foreign countries on terms more advantageous to the trade of Ireland than formerly.

"That some productive and permanent fund being absolutely necessary for the aforesaid purposes, particularly the protection of the aforesaid wall, for should that go to decay, it must of course fall into the bed of the Channel and totally prevent all navigation to the City, whereby the Trade and Commerce thereof would be most materially injured, if not totally destroyed, your Petitioners are therefore induced to solicit the restoration to the said City of an ancient right out of which a sufficient fund will arise to answer the aforesaid as well as the other public purposes thereinafter mentioned, and make it unnecessary for them to trouble Parliament with any application, now or in future, for national aid, which cannot otherwise be avoided.

"That the right your Petitioners allude to is that of the Mayor and Aldermen of said City appointing the weighmasters thereof, and which continued with them until about the year 1723, when the then Representatives in Parliament for said City, in violation of the trust reposed in them, assented to a law depriving the Mayor and Aldermen of the aforesaid right of appointing weighmasters without any charge of improper appointment by the Mayor and Aldermen, or mismanagement or default in the execution of the office, as much more fully appears by a protest entered on the Lords' Journals of the 18 Feb., 1723, made by the Rt. Hon. Lord Chancellor Middleton.

"That the law for the regulation of the weigh houses of this kingdom being now near expiring, your Petitioners humbly beg leave to observe that if the original right of appointing Weighmasters for said City be restored to the Mayor and Aldermen, it may be so done as that one third of the profits to arise from said office should go and be paid to the trustees for improving the river and harbour of said City, and for erecting and supporting two light houses at the entrance of said harbour, which are absolutely necessary for the protection of ships coming thereto, the melancholy instances that have lately happened for want of them, too fatally proving; one other third to the Commissioners for widening streets, for opening and making new ways and passages, and erecting public buildings; one other third for the execution of said office.

"Your Petitioners therefore pray, &c., that on reviving the present law they will be pleased to restore to the Mayor, &c., the power of appointing the Weigh Masters.

"Resolved, that the Board do approve of the foregoing report, &c.

"The Mayor is requested to write to Sir Saml. Rowland, thanking him in the name of this Board for his very great attention to the Petition respecting the appointment of Weighmasters, and to be requested to deliver said Petition to our Representatives to be laid by them before Parliament, and to pray to be heard at the Bar of the House of Commons by council if necessary, to apply to the Corporation agent for his assistance, and to know from him what evidence, if any, may be necessary to produce before the House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriff Fergusson; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Travers, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Willcocks, Busteed, and Sadlier, C. S.

11 *March*, 1791.

That James McCormack, of Cork, merchᵗ., a foreign Protestant on the statute; George Jeffryes, Esq., eldest son of James Sᵗ. John Jeffryes, Esq., *dec.;* Rodolph McCarthy, merchᵗ., having served John Digby, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £6 14*s.* 6*d.* be paid to Eugene Daly, stationer, for books and stationary for the public office at the Mansion House during the Mayoralty of the late Mayor; *It.*, £9 19*s.* 0½*d.* to Edmond R. Kinselagh, for rates for the Mansion House, postage, &c., during the Mayoralty of the late Henry Harding, Esq., Humphry Crowly, Esq., and present Mayor.

That Jeremiah Morgan, Merchᵗ., having served Isaac Morgan; James Daltera, jun., gent., eldest son of James Daltera, merchᵗ.; Edward Creed, cooper, having served Thomas Creed, *do.;* Henry Lane, gent., eldest son of Robᵗ. Lane, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £3 16*s.* 3½*d.* to William Mara, tyler, work done at the Mansion House, stable and coach House; *It.*, 5 guineas to John Raymond, one of the Peace officers, for apprehending several felons, &c.

It., that Sir J. Franklin and the gentlemen of the committee for building the New Markets do lay before this Board a plan and estimate for changing the present entrance to said Markets, which is adjacent to Mr. Basse's

House and opening a new entrance adjacent to the house now tenanted by Miss Johnson.

Present—Mr. Mayor Sher. Fergusson and Sir H. Hayes; Alden. Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Purcell, Crowly, Kellett; Mr. Izod, Busteed, and Sadlier, C. S.

18 *March*, 1791.

" To the Freemen of the City of Corke.

"The Gentlemen who audited the Chamberlain's accounts, to 25 March, and 29 Sep., 1789, having made their report to the C. D. H., on 15 Dec. last, which they desire should be laid before the Common Council.

"The Common Council are of opinion with the gentlemen of the Committee, that the good debts due to the Corporation, should be speedily collected and ready whenever a Committee shall be chosen by the C. D. H., for defraying the necessary expenses of such proceedings as they shall think expedient for that purpose; with respect to the debt of £251 5*s*. mentioned to be due to Peter Comerford, on the ballance of his bond, they are to observe, that on letting the Corporation Tolls in the year 1786, for the then ensuing year, the Corn Market Tolls were taken by him at the rent of £426, and that the Tolls of this Market, on an average for four years preceding, produced to the Corporation £470 annually.

"That the established and legal Toll paid and received was a quart, ale measure, out of each bag; that Sir Saml. Rowland having come into office on 2 Oct., 1786, when Peter Comerford's time commenced, he thought it proper to change the measure by which this toll had been paid and received time immemorial, and to make it wine measure instead of ale measure, which so reduced the produce of it to the taker, as he alledged, that he refused paying so much of the rent, upon which a writ was issued against him, and he filed a Bill and obtained an injunction, in which state the business now remains, and this Toll on an average has since let for little more than £200 annually.

"The Fowl and Fish Markets being considered rather as appendages to the New Meat Markets than new undertakings, and those markets built by plan and estimate having cost a very considerable sum of money, it was thought that under the inspection of a person who could be depended on,

and who would constantly superintend the work, that a considerable saving would be to the Corporation in the building of these appendages in that manner; accordingly, at the C. D. H. held 31 March, 1789, that mode was adopted. The Committee appointed for building the New Meat Markets was chosen for executing those works, and Sir John Franklin appointed to constantly attend the execution of them, to draw on the Chamberlain and account with the auditors of public accounts, so that every precaution was taken to prevent a misapplication of public money, and they have every expectation that a considerable saving will appear in the mode of executing these works.

"They called upon the Waterbailiff, and examined such accounts as he laid before them, and from Sep., 1788, to Sep., 1789, his receipts amounted to £300 10*s.*, and his expenditure £126 0*s.* 10*d.*, and that from 1789 to 1790, his receipts were £277 17*s.* 1½*d.*, his expenditure £71 5*s.* 1½*d.*; and they are of opinion that such measures should be adopted as will tend to increase the revenues.

"That with respect to the money granted for entertaining the Duke of Rutland, when Lo.-Lieut., they find a committee, consisting of several gentlemen, was appointed to conduct that entertainment, who were empowered to draw the expenses from the Chamberlain. That all the money was drawn by their orders, and that they adjusted and settled the accounts of them, and referred them to the Committee who audited the Chamberlain's accounts of that time, so that these expenditures do not come under the inspection of this Board. But willing to give every information in their power respecting the Service of China and the State Bed, mentioned in the report, they made inquiry and they find that no China was purchased by the Corporation for that entertainment, the Committee having proposed to the Mayor that he should provide at his own expense, China, glass, knives, forks, linnen, and all other necessaries, and that they would allow 50 guineas for the same, and accordingly the then Mayor did agree to accept of such offer, and did himself provide at his own expense all the aforesaid necessaries, the purchase of which would come to a very large sum of money; with respect to the State Bed, they find that it was provided upon a supposition that the Lord Lieutenant would lodge at Ald. Travers, where the Bed was put up, but then Mr. Chinnery having made an offer of his house for the residency of the Lo.-Lieutenant, it was accepted

of, and his Aids-de-camps went to lodge at Ald. Travers, and occupied his house, where they were provided at Ald. Travers' expense with all necessaries; and when the Committee were settling the accounts, Ald. Travers brought an account of his expenses, when the Committee proposed to him to take the Bed in lieu of his charges, which he accepted. The charges for the entertainment of the Duke of Clarence were immediately under their inspection, and they find that no charge is made in any of the accounts of that entertainment for a set of China provided. The victuals cost £70 4*s.* 3*d.*, and the wine drank, £55 10*s.* 3*d.* as appears by the accounts on the Corporation file.

"The then Mayor provided China and all other necessaries at his own expense, an account of which was furnished to the Council, who were of opinion that it was better for the Corporation to give the Mayor as much as would make good to him the expenses he was at, and the damage which usually attends on such occasions, than take with any articles provided, which may have been left, and pay the entire costs of them, which would have been considerable, and therefore they were of opinion that 50 guineas was a reasonable allowance to make the Mayor on that occasion, and he paid himself for what he provided.

"The lands of Drumcummer, which are mentioned to be out of lease, they think should be let by whoever has the power of doing so, and they think an enquiry and inspection into the leases will be attended with advantage.

"The ground adjoining the New Markets has not been let in consequence of its being thought that it will be necessary to enlarge the Fowl and Green Markets, or to build new; and the whole may be made more complete by bringing the Butter and other Markets, such as the Frize and Bandle Cloth Markets and Worstead Market to adjoin the other Markets.

"Two lots of ground in Castle Street have been let, but their produce was so much deficient of what there was reason to hope they would have let for, that it was thought better that the houses intended to be built on those lots should be raised before the rest were let, as it would then be seen what the street would be, and as they conceive add considerably to the value of the ground.

"The Gentleman appointed to transact the business of the Markets was appointed for that purpose only, for the reasons before mentioned, and not

as a second overseer, and when that work is completed his employment of course will cease.

"The Council are not less anxious than the other members of the Corporation that the Water Bailiff's accounts should be particularly investigated, and every attention given to the public revenues to make them most productive.

"Therefore are of opinion, that the best mode of considering the same will be for a Committee of the Council to meet a Committee from the Commons to be appointed at a C. D. H., and for those gentlemen to propose to the Council what appears to them the most eligible and effectual mode to make the revenues of the Corporation most productive, &c.

"The ideas of gentlemen so appointed will most probably be what will meet the approbation of the Council and Commons, and from them such resolutions can be formed, to be referred to the Commons as will carry them into effect, by which they think the subject can be better digested.

"The same Committee will have it in their power to consider any other of the matters contained in the report, in which the Council can interfere and give their opinions. The Chamberlain says he will make it appear by his Books, to any Committee appointed by the Council and Court, that a credit is therein given for the quarter's advance on the Tolls."

Ordered, that the materials on the ground between the late James Lee's house and that of James Gregg, Esq., be sold by auction, on such day as the Mayor, &c., shall appoint.

It., that the three lots of ground fronting Patrick Street, between the house of the late James Lee and the dwelling-house of James Gregg, Esq., be sold by auction for a term of 100 years, and that the taker of each lot shall in addition to the rent pay a fine of 50 guineas, and that the Mayor, &c., execute a lease to the taker of each lot; *It.*, that the materials of the old houses in Castle Street, from Mr. Nicholson's house to Mr. Shaw's new buildings, be sold by auction on the Exchange.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fergusson; Ald^en^. Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, and Sadlier, C. S.

6 *April*, 1791.

Mr. Christopher Lawton was sworn a member of the Council.

Ordered, that a pension of £20 be paid to Mrs. Mehetable Travers, widow of the late John Travers, Esq., Ald. of this City; *It.*, that Mrs. Mehetable Travers do provide lodgings for the Judges of Assize in an eligible and proper situation, and that she be paid £60 *per annum* for same.

That Robert Travers, Esq., eldest son of the late Ald. John Travers, *dec.*, be admitted a freeman at large.

It., That a posting be put up in the Exchange, for electing a Water Bailiff, on 16 April, to hold same till 29 Sep. next, giving security.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Webb, Owgan, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, Lawton, and Sadlier, C. S.

12 *April*, 1791.

Ordered, that Sir John Franklin, Ald. Crowly, Mr. Izod, and C. S. be a committee to confer with the Committee appointed by the Subscribers for building a new Coffee House, and to consider the proposals and plans for same. That John Labarte, of Corke, mercht., at the request of the late Mayor, John Falvey, Esq., Counc.-at-Law; Rev^d^. Richard Carey, of Clonmel; Thomas Gibbins, gent.; James Wise, tanner; Edward Deane Freeman, Esq.; William Chetwind, Esq.; Anthony Botett, Esq.; John Rowand, mercht.; Emanuel Hutchins, of Ballyleeky, Esq.; John Church, mercht.; Joseph Deyas, cooper, having served Andrew Hill, *do.*; Philip Cross, Esq., eldest son of Philip C., Esq., *dec.*; Silvanus Nash, Cotton manufacturer, having served Henry Sadlier, *do.*; John Ford, cooper, having served Thomas Garde, *do.*; John Barry Carleton, Esq., eldest son of John Carleton, of Woodside, Esq.; Richard Dodd, Woolcomber, having served George Newenham, jun., *do.*; Edward Daly, Woolcomber, having served said Newenham; James Willis, mercht., a foreign Protestant, on payment of 20*s.*; William Bleasby, chandler, freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fergusson, and Sir H. B. Hayes; Ald^en^. Webb, Owgan, Sir. J. Franklin, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, Lawton, and Sadlier, C. S.

22 *April*, 1791.

Ordered, that the security of the late Ald. Travers be released from the obligation entered into by him for the Alderman's performance of the duty of his office, and the bond cancelled.

On the report of our delegate, Sir Saml. Rowland, ordered, that Thomas Hackett, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, in grateful testimony of his very able and disinterested exertions as Council at the Bar of the House of Commons, in defence of the rights of this Corporation respecting the Weighmastership of this City; *It.*, That the Corporation interest in the ground immediately back of the dwelling house of the late J. Bardin, bookseller, and also behind that of Ann Wherland, and the ground whereon Henry Knight's house stood, with the ground behind said Knight's house, which was part of the late Meat Market, be assigned over to Cooper Penrose, John Anderson, John Shaw, Andrew White, James Bonwell, Marcus Lynch, and Saml. McCall, Esqr., trustees of the Subscribers for building a new Coffee house, subject to the several leases, rents, &c., due to the respective landlords, &c., said trustees building proper offices for the public officers of the Corporation, agreeable to proposals, &c.; *It.*, that the dwelling house formerly the Phœnix Tavern, with the yard, &c., be assigned to said trustees on the like conditions, saving so much of the said yard as will give light to the Town Clerk's office; *It.*, that the interest in the shop and bulk now occupied by Michael Mathews, bookseller, be assigned to said Trustees paying £5 *per annum*, and also satisfying Mathew's interest therein.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Alden. Webb, Owgan, Kent, Sir Saml. Rowland, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Purcell, Crowly; Mr. Busteed and Sadlier, C. S.

26 *May*, 1791.

Ordered, that the terms and interest of the Corporation in the ground purchased by them from the late Mr. William Keyes, bounded on the East by Mr. Wherland's dwelling house, and on the West by the passage leading into the old Meat Market, be set up by Auction, and that the ground back of the aforesaid ground, and also that back of the dwelling house of Mrs. Ann Wherland, and also of the late John Bardin, which was part of the

old meat Shambles, be also set for 900 years, and that said premises be set up at £282, and that the Mayor, &c., shall execute proper deeds, and further that the buildings to be erected to the front of said ground, shall be so erected as to leave Castle Street 32 feet wide, and of equal height with the houses now building by Mr. John Shaw in said street, and the ground floor of equal height and uniformity with that of Mr. Shaw's houses, and that the lower part of the windows of the second floor shall range with Mr. Shaw's windows; *It.*, that the interest in the House, &c., called the Phœnix Tavern, agreed to be taken from Sir Robert Warren, Bart., and Aug. Warren, Esq., for 990 years, be set by Auction, the purchaser undertaking to pay the arrear of rent due therout; *It.*, that the shop now held by Michæl Mathews, at a yearly rent of £4 19*s.*, be let for 900 years, and that the Mayor, &c., shall execute a lease to the person taking, who shall enter into covenant to erect an office for the Town Clerk, and not shut up the lights in his present office, or Exchange, or Council Chamber, or injure those in the Mayor's office but as little as may be; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sher. Fergusson, Sir John Franklin, and C. S. be a committee to examine the different accounts now in the hands of the Mayor, and also the last month's accounts of the Water Bailiff.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sir H. Hayes; Alden. Lawton, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Sir Saml. Rowland, Kingston; Mr. Sadlier, C. S., and Sher. Fergusson.

24 *June*, 1791.

Ordered, that £57 7*s.* 2½*d.* be paid Hugh Lawton, Esq., Master of S. Stephen's Hospital, money paid by him for the use of said Hospital from 11 Oct., 1786, to 28 Jan., 1791; *It.*, £10 2*s.* 6*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, tyler, for painting the Corn Market; *It.*, £15 6*s.* 10½*d.* to Messrs. Jones and Co., for printing work; £41 14*s.* 2*d.* to Messrs. Izod and Lumley, for candles; *It.*, £3 18*s.* 7*d.* to Thomas Jones, for carpetting for the Mayor's seat in S. Peter's Church; *It.*, £27 9*s.* 9½*d.* to George Barber, for money paid; *It.*, £34 3*s.* 5½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £33 2*s.* 6*d.* to Messrs. Hugh, Jameson, and Sons, for flag stones for the Fish Market; *It.*, £96 9*s.* 6*d.* to Messrs. Izod and Co., for timber; *It.*, £40 to Walter Hussey Fitton, for repairing, &c., the Coal Barrels for two years; *It.*, £40 4*s.* 3*d.* to George Barber, money for necessaries at the Mansion House; *It.*, £26 13*s.* 8*d.* to

Saml. Williams, for free stone, &c., for the new markets; *It.*, £82 1*s.* 1½*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing for the Bellmen, Sheriffs, Bailiffs, Trumpeter, and Constable; *It.*, £19 4*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Philip Allen, for silver lace for the above cloathing; *It.*, £49 13*s.* 3*d.* to Tim. Hughes, ironmonger, work done; *It.* £17 14*s.* 7½*d.* to Miss Harding, for necessaries at the Mansion House, paid by Henry Harding, Esq.; *It.*, £11 12*s.* 11*d.* to Thos. Chatterton, Esq., for business done; *It.*, £12 19*s.* 7*d.* to the Mayor, for sundrys paid at the Mansion House; *It.*, £46 5*s.* 6*d.* to W. Jones, Town Clerk, for money paid, &c.; *It.*, £6 7*s.* 3*d.* to Edmond Barnes, balance due to him for Newspapers; *It.*, 10 guineas to Mr. Will. Phillips, for business done; *It.*, 5 guineas to the widow of the late Mr. John Snowe; *It.*, £1 5*s.* 10½*d.* to the Widow Hardaway, so much due to her late husband the Exchange Porter; *It.*, £1 18*s.* 4½*d.* to Mary Ballard, for cleaning Mayor's Office and Exchange; *It.*, one guinea and half to Richard Shinnock, for lodging, fire, and candle light for the officer of the Blackpool Guard; *It.*, 40 guineas to the Mayor, for an entertainment at Blackrock, 1 Aug.; *It.*, 10 guineas to the Mayor, to fit the Corporation Barge for the use of the above day.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Fergusson, and Sir. H. Hayes; Ald^en^. Lawton, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Lawton, and Sadlier, C. S.

15 *July*, 1791.

Ordered, that the ground between Mr. Shaw's houses, now building, and Mr. Nicolson's dwelling house, to range on a line with Mr. Shaw's houses, be set up in lots, of 21½ feet each, at 25*s.* a foot, for 500 years, the taker paying a fine of 50 guineas on each lot, leases to be executed by the Mayor, &c., who shall covenant, that the houses to be built on each lot shall range with, and be uniform in the front, in every particular, with the houses now building by Mr. Shaw; *It.*, that the materials of the houses now standing on said ground, be sold by public auction, in such a manner as the Mayor, &c., shall judge most advantageous; *It.*, that the money arising from the aforesaid letting shall be paid to the Commissioners for making wide and convenient ways, streets, and passages, in the City and Suburbs, towards paying Mr. Nicolson the money awarded to him by the Jury for the purchase of his interest in his dwelling house in said street.

This day the Draft of the new Bye Law proposed at the C. D. H. at the Guildhall was agreed by this Board.

Whereas by a Bye Law confirmed 5 Feb., 1721, it is enacted, that no lease, &c., should be made of any lands, &c., or revenues, belonging to this Corporation, unless there be first ten days' public notice given, by affixing the same in writing on some public place of the new Exchange, after which it shall be put up to cant, and whereas it has been found that the letting the gateage and other Tolls in manner aforesaid has been lately attended with great uncertainty as to the produce, and likely to be attended with greater, unless some mode be adopted by which the schemes and collusions formed for lowering their produce be defeated, and whereas it is apprehended that if the aforesaid Tolls, &c., be let by proposals for one year from 29 Sep. next to 27 Sep., 1792, it would be a more certain mode of letting them for what they ought to produce; ordered, that instead of setting the Tolls, dues, &c., by public cant that they be let by proposals, and that the Mayor shall two clear days before publish an advertisement in the Newspapers, mentioning such day that he will receive the proposals for letting the Gateage Tolls of said City, together or separately, for one year, under such terms as were by order of Council confirmed by the C. D. H. directed to be let last year, which proposals shall be sealed up and contain the names of the securities, and shall be delivered before the meeting of the Committee on the day to be so appointed for declaring the tenants of said Tolls, dues, and Customs, before which day at a C. D. H. to be held after eight days' previous notice, twelve persons shall be chosen out of the Freemen to join with the Common Council and to meet at the Council Chamber on the day appointed for opening and determining on the aforesaid proposals, and such persons as they shall approve of shall be declared takers of said Tolls, dues, &c., for one year; and in case the whole cannot be let in one day that said Committee shall adjourn to such other day as they see necessary, &c.; *It.*, that a lease be taken in the name of the Mayor, &c., from George Daunt, Esq., Doctor of Physic, and his Sister Ann Daunt, spinster, of a parcel of ground containing in front to S. Patrick Street 17 feet 4 inches, in depth 42 feet 8 inches, and in depth in the rear 15 feet, bounded on the North by S. Patrick Street, on the East and South by Mr. James Gregg's holdings, and on the West with the Passage leading from S. Patrick street into the Fish Market, which passage is 8 feet 8 inches wide; and also of

another parcel of ground to the West of said passage, containing in front to S. Patrick St. 16 feet 8 inches, in depth 34 feet, and in breadth in the rear 14 feet 8 inches, bounded on the north by S. Patrick St., on the East by the said passage, and on the west by other premises belonging to the Corporation, with the aforesaid passage and the full benefit thereof as fully as said George and Ann Daunt have power to grant for 280 years, at the yearly rent of £26, which premises were heretofore agreed for by the Mayor, &c., for public markets, and the rent ascertained by a Jury at £26, it is agreed, that the Mayor, &c., shall execute the lease, &c.

It., that £159 be paid to said George and Ann Daunt, so much due to them out of several premises; *It.*, that £283 be paid by Cooper Penrose, John Shaw, John Anderson, Andrew White, James Bonwell, Marcus Lynch, and Saml. McCall, Esqrs., to the Mayor, &c., for the purchase of the Corporation interest in the ground whereon Mr. William Keyes's house stood, adjoining the Exchange, and which is now in the hands of the Mayor, &c., to be paid by them to the Commissioners for making wide streets, &c., in the City and suburbs, towards paying the money awarded by the Jury to Mr. John Nicolson for the purchase of his interest in his dwelling house in Castle Street; *It.*, £100 to Hans Stewart, Esq., in part discharge of the money due to him, and that one of the Bonds of the Corporation in his hands be taken up, and a new Bond passed. *It.*, that the Mayor, Henry Puxley, Esq., and the Sheriffs for the time being, Mr. Crowly, Izod, and Busteed be a committee to confer with that of the C. D. H. upon the Report of the Committee for auditing the Chamberlain's accounts for 1788 and 1789.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldn. Webb, Butler, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Kingston, Sir J. Franklin, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Lawton, and Lane, C. S.

26 *Aug.*, 1791.

Francis Carleton, Esq., sworn a member of the Council.

Ordered, £12 1*s.* 9½*d.* to the Mayor, Salaries paid at the Mansion House; *It.*, £1 1*s.* 8*d.* to Francis Johnson, one of the High Constables, expenses for the Guard who attended at the Fair place to protect the peace; *It.*, £62 7*s.* 9*d.* to John Warner, silversmith, work done from 18 Feb., 1790, to 20 Aug., 1791; *It.*, £4 0*s.* 11*d.* to John Casey, card maker,

for cards for the Mayor; *It.*, £7 18*s.* to Thomas White, stationer, for the statutes at large for the Mansion House; *It.*, 11*s.* 4½*d.* to Anthony Edwards, stationer, for Vesey's Appendices for the Town Clerk's office; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of coals; *It.*, £31 4*s.* 1*d.* to Mrs. Rowland and Daniel Morrison, account for timber; *It.*, £54 19*s.* 6½*d.* to Robt. Reeves, agent in Dublin, money paid and business done by him on the late application to the Lo.-Lieutenant and the Houses of Lords and Commons to restore to the Corporation the Weighmastership of this City; *It.*, 10 guineas to John Baldwin for printing work; *It.*, £6 5*s.* 8*d.* to Peter Butler, engraver, for work done from 22 Oct., 1788, to 21 Aug., 1791; *It.*, that a posting be put upon the Exchange for a Water Bailiff for one year; *It.*, that the ground between the West Wall of the Passage into the Fish Market, and the late dwelling house of Mr. James Lee in S. Patrick Street, part of which was lately taken from Doctor Daunt, be set in two lots by public auction for a term of 100 years, each lot to contain such number of feet as the Mayor, &c., shall think most advantageous to let them by, the taker of each lot to pay 50 guineas fine to the Mayor, to be paid over to said Doctor Daunt and his Sister, towards the discharge of £159 due to them out of the ground lately taken from them.

That Richard Harris, of Kilroe, Co. Cork, gent., at the request of the Mayor; William Crawford, merch^t., at the request of Sheriff Fergusson; Attwell Hayes, Jun., gent., at the request of Sheriff Sir H. B. Hayes; Henry Chartres, Victualler, eldest son of Will. Chartres, formerly of Cork, now of Cove, gent.; Thomas Wood, merch^t., having served John Teulon, merch^t.; John Dixon, Cooper, eldest son of James Dixon, *do.*; Philip Crosse, Esq., eldest son of Philip C., Esq.; Fred^k. Clark, having served his father, William C., merch^t., in the latter part of his servitude he was promoted in the Revenue, be admitted freemen at large.

It., a pension of £20 a year to Mrs. Rebecca Carleton, widow of Ald. Francis Carleton.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Webb, Owgan, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Crowly; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, Carleton, and Lane, C. S.

12 *Sep.*, 1791.

Ordered, that 19*s.* 6*d.* be paid Thomas Campbell for an ink-stand for the Council Chamber.

That Pierce Purcell of Altamira, Co. Cork, gent., brother-in-law to the Mayor, be admited a freeman at large.

It., £13 10*s.* to Mr. Chris^t. Allen for brick for the new Markets; *It.*, £10 18*s.* 6*d.* to the Mayor for sundries paid by him at the Mansion House; *It.*, £2 14*s.* 2*d.* to John Raymond, a peace officer, expenses at searching for stolen plate by order of the Mayor.

That George White, mariner, eldest son of Joseph W., *do.;* Edward Allen, Jun, shipwright, having served Edward Allen, *do.*, be admitted free.

It., £15 18*s.* 6*d.* to Stephen Rossington Elms, for 14 months' returns of all ships arriving in the port of Corke from 1 July, 1790, to 1 Sep., 1791; *It.*, £29 10*s.* 10*d.* to John Turner, plumber, for lead and Copper for the New Markets; *It.*, £28 18*s.* 1½*d.* to Michael Brien for hewn stone done at the New Markets; *It.*, that the Committee for the inspection of S. Stephen's Hospital be requested to make their reports.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Alde^n. Lawton, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland; Mr. Izod, Carleton, and Lane, C. S.

17 *Nov.*, 1791.

Henry Puxley, Esq., Mayor.

This Board having taken into consideration the representations made by the Bakers of the very great additional expenses they are at for barm, fuel, and journeymen's wages, above what they were at when the present allowance was appointed to be made to the bakers, as well as the great expense above what they were at formerly in preparing the corn fit to make bread,

We, the Mayor, &c., do hereby in pursuance of the powers vested in us by law, make the bakers a further allowance of 2*s.* a quartern on every quartern of wheat baked into bread in said city, and the suburbs and liberties thereof, for sale over and above the present allowance made to them to continue during the pleasure of this Board only.

Present—The Mayor, Sheriff Sadlier; Alde^n. Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Crowly, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

3 *Feb.*, 1792.

Ordered, that a bond passed to Kevan Izod, Esq., for the sum of £100 be taken up, and a new Bond passed by the Mayor, &c., to Mrs. Mary Travers,

to whom said money belongs, with interest 6 *per cent.*; *It.*, that a pension of £15 a year to Mrs. Mercy Lawton, widow of Christ. Lawton, Esq., *dec.*; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, £1 6*s.* 1*d.* for the Appendices for two years furnished for the Town Clerk's office; *It.*, 3 guineas to Mary Ballard for attendance at the Mayor's office; *It.*, £1 12*s.* 1*d.* to Edward Westcomb, 'Change Porter; *It.*, 4 guineas to Thomas Owgan, Esq., year's rent of a coach house held with the Mansion house; *It.*, that the ground whereon the old Fish Market stood, which has been surrendered to the Corporation, be set by public auction for 500 years; *It.*, 5 guineas to the Sheriffs and Mr. Kinselagh to buy clothing for Thos. Burke, who attends the Mayor's office; *It.*, that the lot of ground between the East Wall of the entrance from S. Patrick Street into the Fish Market and Mr. Gregg's house, containing 18 feet and upwards in front, and above 41 feet in depth, be set by public auction for 100 years, and that the Mayor, &c., do execute a lease; *It.*, that the Materials of the houses belonging to the Corporation in Princes Street, to the East of the Fowl Market be sold by public auction by the Mayor, &c.; *It.*, that 7 guineas be paid Henry Townsend Daly for calculating the middle price of wheat and oats, and the middle average and medium prices of all corn brought to this City to return to the Collector weekly from 2 Oct., 1790, to 3 Oct., 1791.

Present—The Mayor, Sheriff Dorman; Alden. Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Hingston, Harris; Mr. Lane, and Lucas, C. S.

21 *Feb.*, 1792.

Ordered, that 17*s.* 7*d.* be paid for repairing the Mayoralty House bells; *It.*, £13 4*s.* 8*d.* to Messrs. Jones and Co., for printing work, from June to Dec., 1791; *It.*, 5 guineas to Mrs. Snowe, widow of the late John Snowe; *It.*, £78 16*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Michael Shanahan, stone-cutter, for stone tables erected in the New Fish Market; *It.*, £5 16*s.* 10*d.* to Messrs. Rowland and Danl. Morrison, for timber for the New Meat Market; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Sir J. Franklin, Sir J. Rowland, Mr. Kingston and Harris be a committee for examining the tradesmens and other accounts; *It.*, that £635 be paid the Mayor in addition to £365 from C. D. H.; *It.*, that the arrears due of John Gaggin, out of Corporation concerns, be received from him by installment of £70 a year, free of interest, as proposed by him on

his securing the punctual payment thereof to the approbation of the Mayor, &c.

Present — Mr. Mayor, Sher. Sadlier; Alden. Lawton, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Harris, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

16 *March*, 1792.

Ordered, that the ground whereon the dwelling-house, lately inhabited by Mr. John Nicolson, stood, situate in Castle Street, and which is now held by the Mayor, &c., for about 40 years, be taken by the Mayor, &c., for such term as shall be agreed on at a yearly rent not exceeding 6 pounds over the present rent; and as soon after such lease shall be obtained said ground shall be set up by public auction for 500 years, at a yearly rent not less than 25*s*. a foot, under such restrictions as the adjoyning lots of ground to the eastward were let, the taker to pay a fine of 60 guineas to be applied towards the discharge of the purchase of their present interest.

Whereas, on the 17 June, 1791, the Commons directed a petition to be presented to the Council to make a Bye-Law for letting the Gateage Toll, dues, and Customs for one year, from 29 Sep., 1791, to 29 Sep., 1792, by the Mayor, receiving written proposals to be afterwards referred to a committee of twelve to be chosen in the C. D. H., to join with the Common Council; and whereas the Common Council, on such petition being presented, did on 15 July, 1791, enact a Bye-Law agreeable thereto, which was agreed to by the C. D. H., on 26 July, 1791, and whereas from the effect of said Bye-Law the Common Council have thought it an expedient and wholesome Bye-Law to be continued for one year, from 29 Sep., 1792, to 29 Sep., 1793. The Mayor proposes same to be determined on at the next Common Council, and if approved of to be then confirmed by a C. D. H. *It.*, That £100 be paid to Sir Saml. Rowland, for his expenses in going twice to Dublin to solicit Parliament for a restoration of the rights of the Corporation to the Weigh Houses of this City.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Sadlier; Alden. Lawton, Kent, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Harris; Mr. Lucas and Lane, C. S.

30 *March*, 1792.

It was this day enacted, that the New Bye-Law, for letting the Gateage and other Tolls, by Proposals, be continued from Sep., 1792, to Sep., 1793.

Ordered, that 20 guineas be paid the Minister and Church-Wardens of the parish of S. Ann Shandon, towards erecting an Organ in said Parish Church.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Sadlier and Dorman; Aldᵉⁿ. Lawton, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin, Morrison, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Harris; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, Lucas, and Lane, C. S.

9 *May*, 1792.

Ordered, that £63 14*s.* be paid Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing for the Boys bound apprentice from S. Stephen's Hospital, to be charged on the Loan; *It.*, £27 15*s.* 7*d.* to William Flaherty, mason, for work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £93 9*s.* 2½*d.*, to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing supplied the Bellmen, Exchange Porter, Constable, Trumpeter, Sargeants, and Bailiffs; *It.*, £9 19*s.* 6½*d.* to Samᵗ. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done at the South and Shandon Meat Markets; *It.*, £18 3*s.* 0½*d.* to Timothy Hughes, Ironmonger, for work done; *It.*, £9 12*s.* 5½*d.* to John Wily, Ironmonger, for work done; *It.*, £3 8*s.* 5½*d.* to Samᵗ. Hobbs, carpenter, work done at S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £3 11*s.* 6*d.* to George Barber, for covering and mending the mahogany chairs at the Mansion House; *It.*, £7 17*s.* 3*d.* to Eugene Daly, stationer; *It.*, £4 7*s.* 4*d.* to Henry Knight, stationer, for *do.*; *It.*, £35 19*s.* to William Flaherty, mason, for work done; *It.*, £7 5*s.* 6*d.* to Sam. Hobbs, carpenter, work done by order of the late Sheriffs; *It.*, £48 3*s.* 3*d.* to George Barber, necessaries supplied for the Mayor's Gallery in S. Peter's Church; *It.*, £14 17*s.* 2½*d.* to Samᵗ. Hobbs, work done by order of the present Mayor and Sheriffs; *It.*, £144 16*s.* 4½*d.* to Solomon Newsom, assignee of James and John Knight, in full for their account for printing work; *It.*, £32 15*s.* 3½*d.* to James and Henry Knight, for printing work.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Harris; Mr. Izod, Lucas, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

16 *May*, 1792.

That John Gaggin, gent., eldest son of Richᵈ. Gaggin, victualler, *dec.*; Mathew Church, eldest son of Mathew, C., mercht.; James Thomas, cooper, having served Isaac Jones, *do.*; Reuben Harvey, Jun., mercht., having served his father, Reuben H., *do.*; Heyward S. Leger, Esq., Jun., eldest son of Heyward S. L., Esq.; Walter Croker, gent., having served

James Gregg, *do.*; George Wood, gent., eldest son of Rev^d. George Wood, Clk.; William Bleazby, Jun., mercht., eldest son of William B., *do.*; Thomas Oliver, gent., eldest son of Thomas O., mercht.; John Crowly, gent., eldest son of Ald. Crowly, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Harris, Crowley; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Lucas, and Lane, C. S.

1 *June*, 1792.

That William Allen, having served Christ. Allen and Aylmer Allen, brewers; Robt. Carew Creed, gent., having served James Halburd, *do.*, Atty.-at-Law; Richard Townsend, Esq., eldest son of John T., Esq., Counc.-at-Law; William Fennell, merch^t., having served George Newsom, *do.*; John Fleming, eldest son of Noblet F., glazier, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that the Mayor do provide a leather mattress for the officer's room at the Main Guard; *It.*, that whatever shall appear to have been due to Mary Ballard, *dec.*, be paid to her son Mathias Bouse.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Sadlier; Ald^en. Webb, Butler, Kellet, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Harris; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, Lucas, and Lane, C. S.

20 *June*, 1792.

Ordered, that £14 3*s.* 1*d.* be paid the Mayor, so much expended by him for the Corporation; *It.*, £5 2*s.* 8½*d.* to Messrs. Jones and Co., for printing work done and newspapers furnished at the Mansion House.

That Thomas Cummins, chandler, having served Thomas Hewitt, *do.*; James Wallis, Esq, Atty.-at-Law; Joseph Woodley, gent., son of Francis Woodley, Esq.; Henry Upington, mercht., having served James Kingston and John Large, *do.*; Robert McCarthy, of Carnavar, Esq.; George Jack, gent., one of the Attys.; Richard Sadlier, of Tipperary, gent., brother to Mr. Sheriff Sadlier; Arthur Gethin Creagh, of Laurentinum, gent.; John Gahan, Esq.; William Connor, of Bride Park, Esq.; Richard Neville Parker, Esq.; Abraham Biggs, of Bandon, gent,; Edward Hoare Reeves, Esq., Rev^d. Will. Stawell, of Ballinadee; George Stawell, of Balliwilliter, Esq.; Rev^d. Freeman Crofts, of Church Town; Francis Heney, of Dublin, Esq.;

Henry Bunbury, of Johnstown, Esq.; Rowland Campion, of Rasberry Hill, gent.; Rev^d. Charles Hewitt; Joseph Hoare Beale, mercht., having served Joseph Harris and Thomas Beale, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £56 3*s.* 10½*d.* to Will. Jones, Esq., Town Clerk, his account; *It.*, £5 10*s.* for refreshments for the peace officers who kept guard in this City during the absence of the army.

Present—Mr. Mayor, and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Butler, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Ald. Kingston, Crowley, Harris; Mr. Izod, Lane, C. S.

30 *July*, 1792.

The Common Speaker was sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that 40 guineas be paid the Mayor to provide an entertainment at Blackrock, to commemorate 1 Aug.

It., that the following Address be fairly transcribed and presented to the Most Noble the Marquis of Townshend, who is expected to arrive in this City, this day:

To the Most Noble the Marquis of Townshend.

"The Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Corke, have particular satisfaction in congratulating your Lordship on your arrival in this City.

"They remember with gratitude that under the auspices of your administration the constitution of this country received its first important improvement, and the obligations of this nation to your Lordship have been since greatly heightened by your constant attention on all occasions, to the interests of this Kingdom, which has been felt with the gratitude it merits, by every Irishman; and permit us at the same time to express our anxious wishes that a life so dear to the public may be long preserved and successfully employed in promoting the prosperity of this Kingdom and the general welfare of the Empire. Done at the Council Chamber, Mansion House.

"Corke, the 30 day of July, 1792."

That Sir George Montgomery, Bart., brother-in-law to the Marquis of Townshend, and who accompanies him to this City, be presented with his freedom in a Silver box, and Abraham Augustus Nun, of Dublin, Esq., be admitted a freeman at large.

It., That 100 barrels of coals be bought by Mr. Kent.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kingston; Mr. Busteed, Lucas, and Evanson, C. S.

28 *Aug.*, 1792.

Ordered, that £3 4*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Charles McCarthy, house-carpenter, for work done; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year; *It.*, £50 to Cornelius Sweeny, being the reward offered by the Mayor, &c., for apprehending Jeremiah Geany; *It.*, £33 16*s.* 4½*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Agent in Dublin, for business done.

That the Hon. Christ. Hely Hutchinson; Lieut. John Perry, 56 Reg. of Foot; John Leslie, Esq., Counc.-at-Law; Richard Digby, mercht.; Heyward Gillman Lucas, gent.; Joseph Spearing, mariner; Nicholas Martin, of Ross, co. Galway, Esq.; Humphry Aldridge Woodward, of Dublin, Esq.; Peter Maturin, of Dublin, Esq.; Stephen Dorman, gent.; Anthony Perrier, mercht., having served Thomas Burnett, *do.*; Francis Busteed, gent.; Christ. Aldworth, Esq.; Michael Quarry, cotton manufacturer, be admitted freemen at large.

It is proposed that a new Bye-Law be enacted for letting the stalls in the New Meat Markets, for any term not exceeding seven years, by proposals, and leases executed to the takers.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Aldmen. Webb, Butler, Lawton, Kent, Busteed, Lucas Kingston, Kellett; Mr. Izod, and Evanson, C. S.

18 *Sep.*, 1792.

Ordered, that £10 4*s.* 9*d.* be paid Walter Hussey Fitton, for making 18 quarter coal barrels; *It.*, £20 to said Fitton, for one year's care of Coal Barrels; *It.*, £22 18*s.* 4½*d.* to James and Henry Knight, for printing-work; *It.*, £40 7*s.* 10*d.* to John Turner, glazier, for work done; *It.*, £146 14*s.* 0½*d.* to William Flyn, printer, his account from 6 April, 1789, to 17 Sep., 1792.

Whereas, by a Bye-Law confirmed 5 Feb., 1721, it was enacted, that for the time to come no grant, &c., should be made of any lands, &c., of this Corporation, unless there be first ten days public notice given on some public place of the New Exchange; and whereas it is thought expedient

to let the stalls of the New Meat Market, which are now unset, to the best tenants that shall offer by proposals, and the making a new law to that effect was proposed at the last Council. It is therefore ordained, &c., that the several stalls in the Meat Market, now unset, shall be let by the Mayor, &c., to the best tenants, who shall offer by proposals, after ten days public notice, for any term not exceeding seven years, &c.

It., £2 12*s.* 11*d.* to John Warner, silversmith, for a Silver Box presented to Sir George Montgomery, and for mending the Maces.

That John Church, jun., mercht., eldest son of John C., *do.*; Robert Richardson, mercht., a protestant stranger, paying 20*s.*; Philip Donovan, gent., having served Wm. Jones; Richard Townshend Herbert, Esq., M.P.; William Moore Hodder, Esq.; Richard Longfield Swayne, mercht., having served John Swayne, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

A number of Freemen and other Inhabitants of this City being of opinion, that from the very great increase thereof, as well as of the inhabitants therein, that several of the laws for the regulation, good government and improvement of this City require alteration, and in some cases new Laws are necessary. This Board is of opinion, that the best mode of effecting these salutary purposes will be by appointing a committee to revise the present Laws and report what new Laws they think necessary, &c.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Webb, Lawton, Kent, Sir J. Rowland, Kingston, Harris, Kellett, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Lucas, Busteed, and Evanson, C. S.

7 *Sep.*, 1792.

Ordered, that no work of any kind, except of immediate necessity or small work, be executed on account of the Corporation, nor will this Board make any order to pay for any such work unless a voucher under the hands of the Mayor and Sheriffs for the time being, or under the hands of the Committee to be chosen for that purpose shall be produced for the doing such work, payment to be applied for to this Board; and further, that all persons doing work on account of the Corporation furnish their accounts twice every year previous to 25 March and 29 Sep. *It.*, that Sir J. Franklin, Sir Saml. Rowland, and Ald. Crowly be a committee for directing all such work, to 29 Sep., 1793; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and

C. S. for the time being, Ald. Kingston, Mr. Izod, and Busteed, be a committee to inspect all accounts until 29 Sep., 1793; *It.*, 10 guineas to Wm. Jones, Clk. of this Board, for ten years providing it with pens, ink, and paper, &c.

That William Baker, eldest son of William B., of Lismacue, co. Tipperary, Esq.; Thomas Busteed, Jun., eldest son of Thomas B., of Ballinrea, gent.; Revd. Edward Weekes, eldest son of Thomas Weekes, late Register of the Dis. of Corke; Henry Harding Parker, eldest son of Michael Parker, late of Passage, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that no printing work be done without an order in writing from the Mayor and Sheriffs, or two of the Committee, or under the hand of the Town Clerk, and that no order be made for payment unless the account be certified by the Mayor and Sheriffs, and such printing accounts be furnished every Quarter, otherwise they will not be attended to; *It.*, that the Mayor elect provide 7 half-hundreds, 1 quarter of an hundred, 1 fourteen-pound weight, and 2 ten-pound weights, for the use of the Corn Market; *It.*, £5 to the Mayor, rent of the coach-house occupied by him; *It.*, that the Shandon Shambles and Guard House be repaired, also the South Milk Market and Meat Market, and that £6 10*s.* be paid for effecting such repairs; *It.*, 2 guineas to Thomas White, stationer, for the statutes at large, for use at the Mansion House; *It.*, £9 15*s.* 4*d.* to the Mayor, for rates, taxes, and the preservation of the peace of the City.

The Corporation about twelve years ago having built a new and very commodious Guard House in Tuckey Street, and another at Blackpool, for the accommodation of the officers and soldiers annually quartered in this City, which they have hitherto kept in repair, &c., and finding that all other Guard-houses in Ireland are supplied by Government through the Town Major, where there is one. Resolved, that it is the opinion of this Board, that the Guard Houses of this City should be repaired and supplied in the same manner the other Guard-houses in this Kingdom are, and that a copy of this resolution, signed by the Clerk, be delivered to the Town Major. *It.*, £17 16*s.* 8*d.* to the Mayor, for different expenses paid by him.

We, the Mayor, &c., do fix as necessary, 32 globe lamps with heads and burners to be erected on S. Patrick's Bridge, and in the street north thereof leading thereto, all in the City and suburbs, to be lighted at sunset, and so

continue until sunrise, from 1 Oct. to 1 June, with a sufficient quantity of good wick and oil, and we fix 7*s.* to be paid for erecting each of said lamps, and 16*s.* for lighting each of said lamps, making on the whole £36 16*s.*, and we appoint Bradshaw Popham and William Alexander, Lamp Contractors, for erecting, cleansing, &c., said lamps.

It., That the weights and scales necessary for the South Meat Market be provided by the Mayor; *It.*, that 50 guineas be paid Mrs. Snowe, for the purchase of her interest in a cellar on Haman's Marsh, held by the Corporation, on making out a proper title.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Sadlier; Alden. Webb, Sir J. Franklin, Sir Saml. Rowland; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Lucas, and Evanson, C. S.

29 *Oct.*, 1792.

John Shaw, Esq., Mayor.

The Mayor and Sheriffs sworn of the Council.

Ordered, that £1 1*s.* 1*d.* be paid Edward Westcomb, keeper of the Exchange, for small articles supplied.

This Board being informed that the Rt. Hon. John Lord Fitz Gibbon, Lord Chancellor, is expected shortly to arrive in the neighbourhood of this City, and wishing to pay him the respect due his exalted station,

Resolved, that the Dep. Recorder, Sir William Clarke, Knt., and John Foster, Sheriffs of this City, attended by the Town Clerk, on his lordship's arrival present him with the following address:

To the Rt. Hon. John Lord Fitz Gibbon, Lord High Chancellor of Ireland.

"The Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Corke beg leave to express their great satisfaction at your Lordship's arrival in this vicinage. They are highly sensible of the many essential benefits derived to this kingdom by your Lordship's unwearied attention to, and most honourable and praise worthy exertions in the due and faithful administration of Public Justice, and are happy in being able to congratulate themselves and their country in seeing such great legal abilities united with dignity and honour, and the most upright and unbiassed integrity."

It., that the Sheriffs do in the most respectful manner request his Lordship will honour this Corporation with his company at dinner, on such day as he shall be pleased to appoint.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Sir Will. Clarke and Foster, the late Mayor; Ald^en^. Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Sir Saml. Rowland; Mr. Izod, Westropp, and Busteed, C. S.

22 *Nov.*, 1792.

Ordered, that £100 be paid to the Mayor and Sheriffs, as the Corporation subscriptions to the Collector for giving premiums to the persons bringing meal and potatoes to our Markets for sale; *It.*, that an application be made to Government, praying, that they should direct a general embargo to be laid on the exportation of wheat, oats, oatmeal, flour, and potatoes; *It.*, £100 to the Mayor and Sheriffs, to be paid to the gentlemen who shall be appointed for managing the subscription, for importing coals to supply the poor of this City as the Corporation subscription to that fund; *It.*, that the application for an embargo be signed by the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., in the name and on behalf of this Council.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Owgan, Kent, Morrison, Sir S. Rowland, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Evanson, C. S., and Westropp.

28 *Jan.*, 1793.

That Lieut.-Col. Saml. Wilday Robarts, who commands the Garrison, as a public testimony of our gratitude for his great exertions in assisting the magistrates to preserve the peace of this City; *It.*, Major W^m^. McMyne, who commanded the 58 Reg^t^. when lately quartered in this City (for similar services), and Hon. Henry Skeffington, Governor of Cork, be presented with their freedoms.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, that £230 be paid Sir Saml. Rowland for his expenses in going to Dublin on the business of the Weigh Houses.

That John Lander, gent., having served John Bastable, gent., be admitted a freeman.

It., 4 guineas to Ald. Owgan, one year's rent of a Coach House for the Mansion House; *It.*, £10 to Henry Townsend Daly, for calculating the middle price of corn and making returns for the necessary calculations for striking the assize of bread; *It.*, £635 to the Mayor in addition to £365 voted for him in the C. D. H.

Present—The Mayor, and Sheriffs; Alden. Lawton, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Kent, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Evanson, C. S., and Westropp.

5 *July*, 1793.

The Council having met to determine on the proposals for lighting the lamps, and it being represented that an addition of 314 lamps will be necessary for effectually lighting the City, the Council postponed entering into any contract until a return be made of the places where such additional lamps are thought to be wanting, that they may judge the necessity thereof.

That William Ricketts, eldest son of Will. R., mercht., *dec.;* William Gregg, gent., only son of James G., *do.;* John Cotter, mercht., eldest son of William C., cooper; Robert Coote Purdon, Esq., eldest son of Barth. Coote P., Esq.; Revd. Robt. Austen, only son of the late Archdeacon Austen; Samson Towgood Donovan, mercht., having served Henry Sadlier, *do.;* Wm. Garde, gent., having served Wm. Colburne, Atty.-at-Law; Patrick Bellew, mercht., having served Robt. Pratt, *do.;* Sir John Gilman, Knt., for his exertions in assisting to preserve the peace of this City at the time of the late riots; Henry Hickman, mercht., for his exertion in preserving the peace during the late riots; John Hutchinson, carpet manufacturer, for similar exertions; Thomas McCall, mercht.; Patrick Comerford, Esq.; Marcus Lynch, mercht.; James French, mercht., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £2 7*s.* 8*d.* to Danl. Geary for repairing and slating the Milk Markets and Guard House; *It.*, £16 1*s.* to Messrs. Jones & Co. for printing work; *It.*, £6 6*s.* 4*d.* to said Jones for printing requisition to the Sheriffs for a meeting and proceedings thereon; *It.*, £55 4*s.* 10*d.* to Wm. Jones, Town Clerk, his account from June, 1792, to *do.*, 1793.

That Sir John Haly, Knt.; Jonas Lander, gent.; and Robert Kemp, broad cloth manufacturer, be admitted freemen at large.

It., 5 guineas to the Mayor and Mr. Kinselagh, to provide clothes for Thomas Bourke, who attends the Mayor's office.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Foster, Mayor Elect; Alden. Kent, Kingston, Webb, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Perrier, C. S., and Westropp.

30 *July*, 1793.

We, the Mayor, &c., duly assembled, thinking fit to supersede the several

valuators of the several parishes, &c., in their room appoint Messrs. Charles McCarthy, Thomas Walker, John Travers, Martin Morrissy, and Saml. Hiett, five of the inhabitants of the parish of S. Nicholas; Messrs. John Wily, Edward Hart Hopper, William Stevens, Thomas Shinkwin, and Joseph Daly, of the parish of S. Paul; Messrs. Joseph Harris, Nicholas Mahon, Wm. Reynolds, Robt. Stevelly, Jun., and Dennis Moylan, of S. Peter; Messrs. Saml. Newsom, Michael Wood, John Cole, Jun., Francis John Scannell, and Danl. Callaghan, of S. Mary Shandon; Messrs. John Manders, John Crimmen, Thomas Crofts, Peter Comerford, and Thomas Barry, of S. Ann; Messrs. Ebenezer Deaves, Will. Roberts, Henry Terry, James Coppinger, and John Corker, of the Holy Trinity; Messrs. James Haynes, Daniel Lane, Joseph Harmon, Anthony Hawkesworth, and James Doherty, of S. Finbarry's, to be valuators for the purposes mentioned in the Act for the regulation of the City.

And we fix 1638 globe lamps, as necessary for said City and suburbs, not being nearer to each other than 15 yards, except in front of any public buildings, nor at a greater distance than 30 yards, &c., and we fix 17*s.* shall be paid for the lighting of each lamp, the sum in each year making £1392 6*s.* Ordered, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, that £4 11*s.* be paid to Will. Shanahan, tyler and plasterer, for work at the Exchange; *It.*, £6 10*s.* 1½*d.* to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, his account.

It., That the Bye Law for letting the gateage tolls, &c., by proposals from 29 Sep., 1793, to 29 Sep., 1794, be received.

Present—The Mayor, Sheriff Foster, Mayor Elect; Aldn. Kent, Kellett, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Busteed, and Perrier, C. S.

1 *Sep.*, 1793.

That the Rt. Hon. Thos. Kelly, one of the Justices of the C. P., and Justice of Assize, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; also the Hon. Will. Downes, one of the Justices of K. B., and Justice of Assize, in a Silver Box; and Charles Silver Oliver, Esq., for his active exertions in suppressing the late riots in the Co. Limerick.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Foster, Mayor Elect; Aldn. Owgan, Morrison, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Crowly; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, and Perrier, C. S.

19 *Sep.*, 1793.

Ordered, that £14 5*s.* 11*d.* be paid Philip Bennett, Apothecary, for medicines for the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital, from 28 Sep., 1792, to 8 July, 1793, to be charged on the loan; *It.*, £16 10*s.* to said Bennett for two years and three quarters' attendance on said Boys; *It.*, £65 5*s.* 6*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £4 10*s.* to Saml. Hobbs, slater, for tyler's work done at the Mansion House; *It.*, £36 10*s.* 2*d.* to Sir Will. Clark, expenses paid by him to the Military and sustenance for a Military guard at the time of the riots in Nov. last; *It.*, £43 18*s.* 8*d.* to the Mayor for expenses of a guard at the Mansion House, &c.; *It.*, £1 7*s.* 2*d.* to Edward Westcomb, 'Change keeper; *It.*, £3 8*s.* 9½*d.* to Sheriff Foster, for lodging for the officers of the Blackpool guard; *It.*, £1 12*s.* 6*d.* for a fortnight's lodging for the officer of the Shandon guard; *It.*, £13 1*s.* 3*d.* to Eugene Daly, for stationary; *It.*, £3 5*s.* to Mr. Abbott Trayer, for inserting in the Dublin Evening Post resolutions of the City of Corke; *It.*, £89 5*s.* 3½*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson for cloathing for the Bellmen, Sargeants, Bailiffs, and Trumpeters; *It.*, £38 11*s.* 10½*d.* to William Flaherty, mason, work done; *It.*, £5 17*s.* 9*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for roofing and slating the necessary house at Blackpool guard; *It.*, £41 13*s.* 8½*d.*, £13 8*s.* 7*d.*, and £10 2*s.* 10*d.*, making £65 5*s.* 1½*d.* to James and Henry Knight, printers' work done from 2 Aug., 1792, to 24 Jan., 1793; *It.*, £7 3*s.* 7*d.* to said J. and H. Knight for printing advertisement of requisitions of the Sheriffs for public meetings and resolutions of the meeting; *It.*, £6 16*s.* 6*d.* to Sheriff Forster for two Centry boxes for the use of the Corporation; *It.*, £63 12*s.* 4½*d.* to Sir John Franklin for 205 of Flag stones and 100 yards of ridge stones paid to Will. Casan for the New Markets; *It.*, £13 1*s.* 7½*d.* to Walter Hussey Fitton for 6 new coal barrels and 5 quarter Barrels; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., for the time being, Sir John Franklin, Mr. Busteed, and Kellett be a committee for inspecting Corporation works; *It.*, that the same be a committee to inspect tradesmen's accounts; *It.*, that for the future no account of expenditure for any work done shall pass the Board unless authenticated by the persons to whom such account is due by his producing a written order from the Mayor, &c., Sheriffs, or one of the Committee appointed to examine Tradesmen's accounts; *It.*, that no work to be executed for the Corporation, exceeding 5 guineas, shall be undertaken without advertising and receiving proposals from such

as may be inclined to contract for the same, that the several tradesmen be acquainted with these orders, that the accounts must be furnished every six months, and the orders posted on the Exchange for public inspection; *It.*, that £35 12*s.* 0½*d.* be paid Will. Browne, Smith and Ironmonger, for work done; *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year; *It.*, that the Corporation dues collected by the Deputy Waterbailiff of Passage and Cove be set separately from 29 Sep., 1793, to 27 Sep., 1794, by sealed proposals, to be received by the Mayor, that they pay one fourth part of the sums proposed in hand and give security for the remainder; *It.*, that no money be paid by the Waterbailiffs or any Deputy without an order of this Board confirmed by the C. D. H., unless in case of any sudden emergency, when the Mayor shall have the power of appointing any sum to be paid not exceeding 5 guineas; *It.*, that £15 be paid to the Mayor for an Epergne, bought by him, which is to remain in future for the use of the Mansion House.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Forster, Mayor Elect; Aldᵉⁿ. Butler, Lawton, Owgan, Morrison, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Crowly, Puxley; Mr. Izod, Busteed, and C. S.

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20 *Nov.*, 1793.

William Willcocks, Esq., Mayor.

Ordered, that £2 3*s.* 4*d.* be paid Mr. Kinselagh for hearth money for the Mansion house; *It.*, £10 to Henry Townsend Daly for calculating the middle price of wheat and oats, and the middle average and medium price of all corn brought into this City, to return weekly to the collector; *It.*, one guinea to Will. Triggs, for keeping the Mansion House bells in repair.

That Richard Tillyer Blunt, distiller, a protestant stranger, be admitted free on the statute.

It., that a bond for £100 passed 19 Oct., 1791, to Hans Stewart, Esq., be taken up, and a new Bond for said sum carrying 6 *per cent.*, be passed to Mrs. Alice Martin, who has advanced said money; *It.*, that a bond for £300 passed 27 Feb., 1787, to Hans Stewart, Esq., be taken up, and that another for £200 with interest at 6 *per cent.* be passed to said Stewart, and another for £100 at 6 *per cent.* be passed to Mrs. Westropp and Thos. Westropp, Esq., execu^r. of the late Counc. Westropp.

This Board having taken into consideration the requisition of the C. D. H. of 30 Sep., that 100 guineas should be laid out in the purchase of a piece of plate to be presented to John Shaw, Esq., late Mayor, with a suitable inscription thereon, expressive of their high sense of his faithful, honourable and spirited conduct in the discharge of his duties as Chief Magistrate, during a very trying season, and by whose unremitting attention peace was preserved, ordered, that the money be paid to the Mayor, &c., to carry out said resolution. *It.*, that the first tree on the South side of the Red House Walk being rotten, shall be cut down.

That William Waggett, Esq., eldest son of Christ. Waggett, Esq., be admitted a freeman at large.

"On this occasion, at the same time that I declare my fullest assent to the requisition from the Commons to this Board, in favour of John Shaw, Esq., late Mayor, for one hundred guineas, to be expended on a piece of plate with a suitable inscription, I feel it peculiarly incumbent on me to express something further than merely giving a vote, having personally felt the highest satisfaction on retiring from the office of Chief Magistrate, in being honoured by the Commons with a similar testimony of their very flattering approbation of my conduct, and tho' their efforts were strenuous to carry their resolution into complete effect, yet the hostile and ungenerous proceedings of Council have frustrated their kindest and best intentions towards me; but the Record remaining, which cannot be effaced from the C. D. H. book, that such honourable requisition has been preferred by the Commons in my behalf, is amply gratifying to me, and leaves a deep and grateful impression on my mind, and ill it would become me (was I inclined to do so) after experiencing so marked a proof of the friendship and esteem, to oppose in this Assembly, from narrow, selfish motives of jealousy, envy, or resentment, the requisition now made by the Commons in favour of a person so highly deserving as our late Mayor, who (during the course of a most trying year of public calamity and distress) has discharged the duties of his office with much honour to himself and great advantage to his Fellow Citizens. I therefore give it my warmest support.

"SAMUEL ROWLAND."

"Mansion House, Novemb. 20, 1793."

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Evanson and Lane; Alden. Lawton, Rowland, Kingston, Crowly, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Perrier, C. S.

10 *Dec.*, 1793.

Ordered, that Mr. Joseph Bennett Wakeham be appointed to the sweeping of the streets from the height of Mallow Lane to North Bridge, and from the Bridewell to the South end of the Corn Market.

It., 4 guineas to Thomas Owgan, Esq., half a year's rent of a coach-house held with the Mansion House; *It.*, £635 to the Mayor, in addition to £365 by the C. D. H.

That John Cuthbert, Sen., merch^t., having served John Cuthbert and Richard Hare, *do.;* Hugh Lawton, Jun., gent., eldest son of Will. L.;

William Rickotts, merch^t., eldest son of Will. R., *do.*; Marcus Lynch, Jun., merch^t., eldest son of Marcus L., *do.*; John Williams, merch^t., having served Henry Sadlier, *do.*; Edward Scott, eldest son of Edward S., gent., *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large.

It., £3 5*s.* 7½*d.* to the Church Wardens of S. Peter's parish, for minister's money for the Mansion House.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Lawton, Kent, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Harris, Shaw, Webb; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, and Perrier, C. S.

21 *Jan.*, 1794.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, £4 1*s.* 10½*d.* to Marmaduke Osborne, hatter, for hats supplied the Trumpeter and Mayor's Constable, in the years 1787 and 1788; *It.*, £46 7*s.* 6½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, repairs at Blackpool Market, to prevent their falling; *It.*, £6 16*s.* 5*d.* to John Turner, glazier, for work done; *It.*, £10 0*s.* 9*d.* to James and Henry Knight, printers, for work done; *It.*, £5 11*s.* 11*d.* to Henry Knight, stationer, his account; *It.*, one guinea to James Triggs, for keeping in repair the bells of the Mansion House.

We the Mayor, &c., appoint Florence John Scannell and John Power, merch^ts., inhabitants of S. Mary Shandon, in place of John Cole, Jun., and Francis John Scannell, who do not reside in said parish, and Martin Mahony, of Blackpool, comber, of S. Mary's parish, in the place of John Manders, who has been excused for want of health to be valuators for the purposes of an Act for the regulation of the City of Corke, &c.; *It.*, £76 8*s.* 9*d.* to Ald. Hugh Lawton, to provide 15 curled hair matrasses and 15 bolsters, 15 green red rugs and 15 pair of blankets, for the use of the Boys in S. Stephen's Hospital, pursuant to estimate, to be charged on the loan, &c.

The Mayor having advertised to receive sealed proposals with a plan and estimate for building an addition to the Fowl Market, and the Mayor having received a plan, &c., for compleating said work, which estimate amounts to £278 11*s.* 4*d.*, ordered, that said plan be laid before the C. D. H., and if approved, that said sum be paid out of the Corporation revenues.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Butler, Lawton, Kent, Kingston; Mr. Izod, Busteed, and Perrier, C. S.

14 *Feb.*, 1794.

Ordered, that £10 9*s.* 10*d.* be paid Mr. James Magrath, for instructing the boys of S. Stephen's Hospital to sing.

This Board having taken into consideration the letter from the President of the Committee of Merchants, inclosing a very respectable application signed by the principal merchants of this City, signifying it to be their wish that the Freedom of this Corporation should be given to Saml. Newport, Esq., of Waterford, ordered, that he be admitted a freeman; also, that John Baker, gent., eldest son of George B., cooper; Revd. Mountiford Longfield, Clk.; James Chatterton, Jun., Esq., eldest son of Thomas C., Esq.; Michael Rogers, Esq., eldest son of Noblett R., Esq.; Leonard Morse, Esq., F.R.S., at the request of Sir Will. Clark, late Sheriff; John Wigmore, Master Builder, at the request of John Shaw, Esq., late Mayor; Revd. Edward Delany, at the request of John Forster, Esq., late Sheriff; George Corlett, ironmonger, at the request of the Mayor; Nathaniel Evanson, of Four Mile Water, Esq., at the request of Sheriff Evanson; Michael Rochford, Jun., of Limerick, mercht., at the request of Sheriff Lane; Richard Thomas Orpin, Esq., of Frankford, and Silvanus Moriarty, Esq., Regulating Captain of the Navy, now in this City, be admitted freemen at large.

We, the Mayor, &c., appoint Martin Mahony, of Blackpool, comber, of S. Ann's Shandon parish, to be valuator under the Act for the regulation of this City.

Whereas a *distringas* at the suit of Sir Saml. Rowland, Knt., against the Mayor, &c., dated 23 Janv. last, returnable in 15 days of Easter, and marked £2000, has been laid before this board, ordered, that it be referred to the C. D. H. whether it be defended or not.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Lawton, Butler, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Crowly, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Busteed, and Perrier, C. S.

18 *March*, 1794.

That Heyward St. Leger, Esq., eldest son of Heyward St. L., be admitted a freeman at large.

Ordered, that £8 16*s.* 5½*d.* be paid Denis Driscol, printer, for work done.

N.B.—"As long as I have been a member of Council, I never knew, before this day, a single instance of the consideration of any business

(however important) when once introduced by the Mayor, put off to another meeting of Council, on the mere pretext of there not being a sufficient number of members attending, as the Bye-Laws on a second Summons only require the attendance of the Mayor, one Sheriff, and Common Speaker, and this being a Council convened on second summonses issued. It will appear, by reference to the above marginal entry of the names of those who attended this day, that the number greatly exceeded what the Bye-Laws require, and that they were of course fully competent to transact any business whatsoever, and if they were not conscious of being so, why did they pass any orders this day? particularly one for granting money.

"March 18, 1794. SAMUEL ROWLAND."

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldcn. Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Lucas, and Perrier, C. S.

25 *March*, 1794.

N.B.—"The several members recited in the margin, who this day attended Council, on a second summons, have thought proper to break up their meeting without doing any business, or even expressing a reason on their Book for such conduct, which I am obliged to assign for them, as otherwise so unprecedented a proceeding must appear most extraordinary to the Freemen at Large; the only reason alledged by them for dissolving the Council was, because I would not withdraw.

"Mansion House, 25 March, 1794. SAMUEL ROWLAND."

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldcn. Butler, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Harris; Mr. Busteed, Lucas, Izod, and Perrier, C. S.

31 *May*, 1794.

Ordered, that 2 guineas be paid Wm. Maturin, for newspapers supplied the Mayor from 24 June to 24 Dec. last; *It.*, £83 7*s.* 3½*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing for the Bellmen, Exchange Porter, Sarjeant's Bailiff, and Constables, in 1793; *It.*, £44 7*s.* 3*d.* to said Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing furnished for the Boys bound apprentice from S. Stephen's Hospital, from 4 April, 1792 to 26 Nov., 1793; *It.*, £10 14*s.* 3*d.* to the Sheriffs expenses paid for sundry Guards, &c., to protect the peace;

It., £9 18*s.* 8½*d.* to George Baker, expenses for the passage of several persons to England who were left a burden on the town, &c.; *It.*, £2 1*s.* 6*d.* to the adm^s^. of the late Mr. Andrew Peace, apothecary, for medicine supplied the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Butler, Sir J. Franklin, Puxley, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Busteed, and Perrier, C. S.

20 *June*, 1794.

That Robert Day, Esq., one of H. M. Council-at-Law, Chairman of the Sessions of Kilmainham, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, as a public testimony of the high sense this Board entertains of his able, judicious, and humane conduct on his late visit to this City and County; also, Robert Kingsmill, Esq., Rear Admiral of H. M. Red Squadron, and Com.-in-Chief of the Fleet now on this station, in a Silver Box. That Abraham Lane, Esq., eldest son of Richard Lane; Rev^d^. John Webb, eldest son of Ald. John Webb; Mark Carew, gent., of Gurranes, and John Swete, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £53 2*s.* 5*d.* be paid W^m^. Jones, Town Clerk, his account from June, 1793, to June, 1794; *It.*, £1 2*s.* 1*d.* to Edmond Westcomb, Exchange Porter, for the use of the Council Chamber, from Sep., 1793, to May, 1794.

That Henry Hardy, gent., eldest son of Simeon Hardy, merch^t^.; William Busteed, gent., eldest son of Francis B., common brewer; Henry Baldwin, of Mount Pleasant, Esq., eldest son of Walter B., Esq., *dec.;* Richard Chinnery gent.; Riversham Harman, mariner; Thomas Forrest, gent.; Robert Maxwell, of Charleville, gent.; Rev^d^. Richard Meade, of Ballymartle, be admitted freemen at large. Also Maj. Gen. Stewart, Com. of H.M. forces in Munster, in a Silver Box.

Ordered, that £4 2*s.* 4*d.* be paid Messrs. Alexander and Johnson, expended by them on the Guards in the year 1793 at the Fairs; *It.*, £4 0*s.* 4*d.* to said Johnson and Alexander for *do.* in 1794.

Present—the Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Butler, Evanson, Harris; Mr. Lucas, and Perrier, C. S.

25 *July*, 1794.

Whereas an application has been made against the Mayor and Sheriffs, and they have been served with an order forth of H. M. Court of Common

Pleas to show cause why an attachment should not be granted against them in a cause between Sir Saml. Rowland, Knt., Plt., and the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Commonalty, Def^ts.

Ordered, that the Town Clerk and Corporation Agent do defend the Mayor, &c., against said application; *It.*, that a pension of £20 a year be paid Mrs. Morrison, widow of Ald. James Morrison; *It.*, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, that a contract be entered into with Nich^s. Kearns, mason, for new paving the Main Street, beginning at the North end of the North Bridge and ending at the Grate at the South end of the South Bridge, including the pavement about the Grate, and computed to contain 6397 square yards, for the sum of £119 18*s.* 10½*d.*, being at the rate of 4½*d.* the square yard, and for keeping the same in complete repair for seven years, from the expiration of one year after the day of confirming this order, at the rate of £35 a year, the Mayor, &c., to execute a contract with said Kearns, who shall give security to be approved of by the Mayor, &c., in the sum of £120, and he shall be bound to deliver up said streets in good order on the expiration of the contract; *It.*, that John Warner, glasier, do paint and gild the Exchange Clock, pursuant to estimate for £14 laid before the C. D. H., if approved.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Webb, Butler, Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Crowly, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Lucas, and Jackson, C. S.

15 *Aug.*, 1794.

The Mayor Elect sworn.

Ordered, that £9 5*s.* 0½*d.* be paid George Corlett, Ironmonger, for work done from 1 Oct. to 8 Aug. inst.; *It.*, £3 5*s.* 1½*d.* to the printer of the Corke Gazette, for printing several public proclamations; *It.*, £14 0*s.* 8*d.* to James and Henry Knight for printing work; *It.*, £9 6*s.* 10½*d.* to Mr. Philip Bennett, apothecary, for medicines for the boys in S. Stephen's Hospital from 1 Aug., 1793, to 4 July, 1794, and one year's attendance on said Boys; *It.*, £15 15*s.* 7*d.* to John Turner, glasier, for work done; *It.*, £22 9*s.* 5½*d.* to Messrs. Morrison for timber; *It.*, £25 6*s.* 7*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done.

Present—The Mayor, Mayor Elect, and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Webb, Lawton, Owgan, Harris; Mr. Izod, Busteed, and Jackson, C. S.

26 *Aug.*, 1794.

The Mayor, &c., being advised that the suit instituted by Sir Saml. Rowland, Knt., against them cannot be determined until defence shall be taken for the purpose of bringing the merits of said suit to a fair and open trial, ordered, that the Corporation Law Agent do take defence to said suit for and in the name of the Mayor, &c., expenses out of the Corporation revenues.

It having been represented to the Mayor, &c., that the wall built for the improvement of the Harbour is in a dangerous state, and will require much repair to prevent its stopping the navigation of the public channel, ordered, that the Waterbailiff's employment with the Corporation dues be set to the best bidder for one year, sealed proposals to be sent to the Mayor to be opened by the Council and Committee to be chosen in the C. D. H. in such manner as the Gateage Tolls have been for some time let, the taker to have a lease executed, depositing one quarter's rent with sufficient securities for the remainder, saving all the rights of the Freemen, the person appointed to collect the Chief Magistrate's dues, he or his deputy to attend the Corporation with the Silver Oar, &c., and that half the money so bid shall be paid the overseers for repairing said wall; *It.*, £7 7*s.* 10½*d.* to John Crosbie, stucco man, for whitening the rooms of the Mansion House; *It.*, £25 0*s.* 6*d.* to John Turner for painting inside and outside the Mansion House; *It.*, £10 4*s.* 6½*d.* be paid the Mayor for small expenses at the Mansion House; *It.*, £3 15*s.* 3½*d.* to the Mayor, expenses for the passage of several soldiers' wives left in this City; *It.*, £3 9*s.* 11*d.* to George Barber, for work done; *It.*, 2 guineas to the Dep. Water Bailiff at Cove, for spars put up for securing the spit at Cove.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Evanson, the Mayor Elect; Ald^en^. Webb, Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Crowly, Harris; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Lucas, and Jackson, C. S.

9 *Sep.*, 1794.

In compliance with the requisition of the C. D. H. of 5 Sep. inst., It is ordered, that one moiety or half of the fees, dues, or perquisites of this Corporation, called Anchorage and Ballast dues, &c., as have been collected by the Waterbailiff and his Deputies, and which shall be collected by them

from the Monday next after 29 Sep., inst., to Monday next, after 29 Sep., 1795, after the payment of the sallaries, &c., be paid into the hands of a committee of 15 to be chosen by the C. D. H. to be applied by them as they shall see proper in the improvement of the River and Harbour, this being for the present thought the most expedient; *It.*, that a salary of £60 out of the above fees be paid the elected Waterbailiff, also such sallary for Deputies as shall be thought expedient; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year (duties as before) who shall give two sureties for £500 to pay one half of the money collected to the Chamberlain, the other to aforesaid committee as he shall be required.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, both sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Lawton, Owgan, Kingston, Harris; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Lucas, and Jackson, C. S.

16 *Sep.*, 1794.

That Simon White, of Bantry, Esq.; the Rt. Revᵈ. and Honˡ. Thomas Lo.-Bp. of Corke and Ross, in a Silver Box; Richard Frankland, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, a native of this City, whose shining abilities are so highly distinguished; John William Newsom, eldest son of Solomon Moses Newsom; Thomas Darold, sail-cloth manufʳ, having served Julius and John Besnard, *do.;* Robert Ross, gent., eldest son of Gibbs Ross, Esq.; John Townsend Jones, gent., having served Thomas Chatterton, Esq., for five years and William Honnor, Esq., two years; Hon. Thos. Henry Forster, eldest son of Rt. Hon. John Forster; Robert Deane, Esq., eldest son of Peter Deane, Atty-at-Law; Samˡ. Falkiner, Esq., son of Sir Riggs Falkiner, Bart.; Revᵈ. Edwᵈ. Mitchell Carleton, son of John Carleton, Esq., of Woodside; Richard Ward, gent, eldest son of Richᵈ. Ward, gent; John Spiller, cooper, having served Ferdinand Spiller, *do.;* Joseph Delany, gent., eldest son of Revᵈ. Edward Delany, clk.; Oliver Latham, Esq., eldest son of John L., Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that the Corporation Bond for £300 to Hans Stewart, Esq., dated 27 Feb., 1787, be taken up, and that one for £150 be passed to Mrs. Eliz. Westropp, and another for £150 to Hans Stewart, Esq., both payable with interest at 6 *per cent.*

That John Fitzgerald, having served George Baker and Richard Courcy, *do.;* Hamilton White, Esq.; William Longfield, of Longueville; William

Bradford, merch^{t}., having served Willm. Leycester, *do.*; Thomas Alleyn, gent.; Thomas Biggs, of Bandon, merch^{t}.; the Hon. Thomas Knox; Saml. Mann, Esq., one of the land waiters of this City; John Hackett, Esq., of Clonmell; Adam Perry, gent., son of Richard P., Esq.; Richard Vowell, Esq., Surveyor General; Richard Townsend, of Pallace Town, Esq.; Rev^{d}. Forster Archer, Francis Goold, Esq.; John Swete, of Bandon, gent.; Anthony Burniston, merch^{t}.; John Unthank, merch^{t}., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £8 10*s.* 3*d.* to the Exec^{rs}. of the late William Keyes, rent due to him; *It.*, 5 guineas to the Mayor, &c., for buying clothes for Thomas Bourke.

That the Hon. Peter Russell, Member of the Executive and Legislative Council, Judge of the Common Pleas, and Receiver General of Upper Canada, be admitted a freeman at large.

It., £2 15*s.* to the Sheriffs, for the preservation of the peace on different occasions; *It.*, £3 19*s.* 7½*d.* to James Uppington, for winding the Exchange Clock from Aug., 1790, to June, 1794; *It.*, one guinea to William Satterford for a new coal-barrel adjusted for the use of this Corporation; *It.*, £1 10*s.* 4*d.* to Anthony Edwards, printer, for printing the Assize of Bread.

Resolved, that the thanks of this Board be and are hereby given to Sheriff Evanson for his proper conduct as a Magistrate in the Execution of his duty last Saturday night.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, both Sheriffs; Ald^{en}. Webb, Butler, S^{r}. J. Franklin, Kellett, Owgan, Kingston, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Westropp, Lucas, and Jackson, C. S.

1 *Oct.*, 1794.

That John Stockdale Bastable, druggist, a protestant stranger, be admitted free paying 20*s.*

Ordered, £14 13*s.* 2*d.* to James and Henry Knight, for printing work done from 30 Dec., 1793, to 23 June, 1794; *It.*, that every account of tradesmen employed in any business for the Corporation, shall be furnished every 6 months, at March and Sept., and those omitting to furnish shall not be paid for 12 months after, and that a copy of this order be given to each person employed; *It.*, £9 6*s.* 6*d.* to Messrs. Daly and Travers, for stationary work from Aug. 20, 1793, to Sep. 26, 1794; *It.*, £76 19*s.* 7½*d.* be

paid to William Flyn, for printing work from 17 Sep., 1792, to 22 Sep. 1794; *It.*, £1 8*s.* 8½*d.* to Capt. Patterson, for his expenses in going to Cove at the time of the arrival of the Transport with sick soldiers; *It.*, £12 0*s.* 8*d.* to James and Henry Knight, for printing work from 30 June, 1794, to 22 Sep., 1794; *It.*, 13*s.* to the Mayor, for a Dog-wheel, &c., for the Mansion House; *It.*, that John Verling be appointed Dep.-Waterbailiff at Cove for one year, finding two securities in the sum of £250 for all fees, &c., to be received by him; *It.*, that William Cotterell be appointed Dep.-Waterbailiff at Passage, on same conditions as said Verling; *It.*, that Verling be paid at the rate of £30, out of the fees received by him and Cotterell at same rate, out of the Fees received by him; *It.*, that £69 7*s.* 3½*d.* be paid Geo. Seymour for brass and iron work furnished by him from 28 Aug., 1790, to 16 Sep., 1794; that the estimate of John Turner, for painting the markets, be laid before the C. D. H., and that £20 for one coat, and £30 for two, be paid as may be approved of; *It.*, that the Mayor and Sheriffs elect, the C. S. for the time being, Sir John Franklin, Mr. Ald. Shaw and Harris, Mr. Busteed and Lucas, be a committee for examining accounts and directing immediate necessary works.

Present—The Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Evanson; Ald^en^. Owgan, Sir J. Franklin, Harris; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, Lucas, and Jackson, C. S.

12 *Nov.*, 1794.

John Thompson, Esq., Mayor.

The Sheriffs sworn of the Council.

Ordered, that £25 2*s.* 3*d.* be paid to Saml. Hobbs and William Flaherty, for repairing the Main Guard Room, the Blackpool and Shandon Guard Rooms, pursuant to estimate; *It.*, £2 16*s.* 10½*d.* to the Mayor, for work done on the ceiling and walls of the kitchen, and passage leading thereto, ceiling and walls of back stair-case and lobbies, whiteing the ceiling and walls of the pantry, sides of the Banquetting Rooms, the windows repaired and whitened of the Mansion House; *It.*, £2 1*s.* 10*d.* to the Mayor, for repairing the roof of the Mansion House, upright slating, part of a boarded closet, and repairing the remainder, cleaning spouts, bracing part of them, finding slates, mortar, and ridge tiles; *It.*, £10 to Henry Townsend Daly, for calculating the middle price of wheat and oats, ascertaining the assize

of bread, &c., for returning to government; *It.*, £98 10*s.* 6*d.* to Wm. Lumley, for candles supplied the Guard Houses, from 7 Jan., 1791, to 15 Oct., 1794; also, £13 18*s.* 0½*d.* for candles from 6 April, 1791, to 7 Nov., 1794; *It.*, £17 12*s.* 1*d.* to the Sheriffs, extra expenses they were at in consequence of the attempt made to rescue from them the prisoners they were conveying to Dublin; *It.*, £48 15*s.* 3½*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Corporation Agent in Dublin, cost of obtaining approbation of magistrates for three years past, money paid and business done from 1792, to Trinity vacation, 1794; *It.*, that the members of the Council in council assembled, shall be a committee for receiving the Waterbailiff's accounts.

We do hereby appoint Robert Patterson to be Dep.-Waterbailiff, that he shall be amenable to the Waterbailiff, account on oath with the principal Waterbailiffs, as often as required; *It.*, that a salary at the rate of 30 guineas a year be paid said Robert Patterson, as long as he shall continue in office.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Perrier and Bagwell; Alden. Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Harris, Crowly, Sir J. Franklin; Mr. Westropp, Lucas, Jackson, C. S., Busteed, Izod, and Kellett.

24 *Nov.*, 1794.

Resolved, that it is the opinion of this Board, that the erecting of public ovens in this City would be of general benefit to the citizens.

Ordered, that so much of the ground to the eastward of the houses fronting the Corn Market as shall be found necessary shall be made use of for erecting thereon four, five, or six public ovens for baking bread for the public, whenever occasion shall require; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs and C. S. be a committee to inspect the above ground, and have a plan prepared of as much as they may think necessary for erecting public ovens thereon.

That the Most Noble Arthur, Marquis of Downshire, now in this City, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Lawton, Butler, Owgan, Kellett, Harris, Kent, Shaw, Sir J. Franklin, Crowly; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Lucas, Jackson, C. S., and Busteed.

24 *Jan.*, 1795.

That His Excell. Will. Wentworth, Earl FitzWilliam, Lo.-Lieut. of Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a Gold Box, with a congratulatory address to be presented by the Rt. Hon. Lord Carleton, our Recorder, and our Representatives in Parliament, and in case our Representative the Hon. Col. Hutchinson should not have returned from the Continent, where he has been in the service of his country, that the Rt. Hon. Lord Donoughmore be requested to attend for him, also one of our Sheriffs, and our C. S.

That the Rt. Hon. Lo. Visct. Milton, Principal Sec. to His Excell., be presented with his freedom in a Silver box.

Ordered, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., Ald. Shaw and Mr. Jones, be a committee to prepare the above address.

That the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Annesley be presented with his freedom by the Town Clerk; also, Charles McCarthy, Jun., merch^t., having served the Mayor; Francis Busteed, Jun., having served Francis B., Sen., brewer, be admitted freemen at large.

It., That Mr. Kent buy 100 barrels of coals.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Owgan, Kent, Crowly, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Lucas, Busteed, and Jackson, C. S.

27 *March*, 1795.

Copy of the Lord Lieutenant's Answer to the Address of the Common Council, presented by Mr. Sheriff Perrier and Mr. Common Speaker:

"My Lords and Gentlemen,

"I have received with thanks the honour you have done me by enrolling my name among the Freemen of your Ancient and Loyal Corporation. It will give me an additional interest to that which every well-wisher of his country must feel in the prosperity and happiness of a city in which so much wealth, commerce, and consequence of the Empire centres.

"As experience must have convinced you that the spirit of the British Constitution and Government favours and cherishes in a peculiar degree the enterprises of commerce and the exertions of Manufacture and Trade, I should naturally expect from you the assurance which you have given

me of inviolable attachment to his Majesty, the faithful Guardian and asserter of those principles, under the influence of which your City has so long and so eminently flourished. His Majesty must ever command that attachment, and must ever reign in the hearts of all his subjects."

Ordered, that £4 11*s.* be paid Thomas Owgan, Esq., one year's rent of a Coach House for the Mansion House; *It.*, £18 11*s.* 5*d.* to William Flaherty, for mason's work done from 10 Aug., 1793, to 21 Jan., 1795; *It.*, £3 15*s.* 7*d.* to Dennis Driscoll, printer of the Cork Gazette, for work done; *It.*, £93 6*s.* 4*d.* to Mrs. Shaw Evanson and Busteed, for cloathing for the Sergeants, Bailiffs, Bellmen, and Mayor's Constable; *It.*, £6 15*s.* 11½*d.* to the Mayor, expenses of sending home several soldiers' wives left a burden on the City; *It.*, £11 5*s.* 7½*d.* to the Mayor, expenses at the Mansion House; *It.*, £28 5*s.* 8½*d.* to William Browne, smith, for work done; *It.*, £1 12*s.* 2*d.* to Cæsar Fanning, paper-maker, for papering the Officers' Guard Room; *It.*, £13 0*s.* 5*d.* to John Warner, silversmith, for work done from 19 March, 1793, to 24 March 1794; *It.*, £40 7*s.* 11*d.* to Messrs. Hobbs and Flaherty, work done at the different markets; *It.*, £3 7*s.* 5½*d.* to George Barber, sundries at the Mansion House; *It.*, £20 1*s.* 1½*d.* to James and Henry Knight, for printing work; *It.*, £7 19*s.* 3½*d.* to said James and Henry Knight, for printing work; *It.*, £16 12*s.* 6*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done; *It.*, £635 to the Mayor, in addition to the sum of £365 voted him by the C. D. H. to be paid quarterly; *It.*, that a letter of attorney be prepared from the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council, to the Chamberlain of this City, or his Deputy, empowering them to receive from Doctor Arthur Browne, the money now in his hands, received by him out of the lands left by Thomas Deane, Esq., for the support, &c., of an Alms House and School in S. Peter's parish; also, to receive all rents due out of said lands, give receipts for said sums, and distrain from time to time. *It.*, £3 to the Mayor, Minister's money of the Mansion House; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., Mr. Lucas and Westropp, be a committee to inspect the coal barrels and report the state of them, and examine the accounts of Mr. Fitton, and report.

The distressed state of the children of the late W^m. Snowe, Esq., formerly Town-Clerk, being represented to this board, ordered, that 10 guineas be paid for the use of the grand-children of said W^m. Snowe. *It.*, 48

guineas to Sheriff Perrier and Mr. Jackson, C. S., expenses they were at in going to Dublin to present an address to his Excellency, from the Common Council.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Lawton, Kent, Crowly, Shaw, Willcocks, Sir S. Rowland; Mr. Busteed, Westropp, Lucas, and Jackson, C. S.

23 *May*, 1795.

Ordered, that £4 17*s.* be paid John Turner for a second coat of paint for the outside of the new Markets; *It.*, £11 4*s.* 9½*d.* be paid the Mayor for Ministers' Money, repairing the pump, &c., at the Mansion House; *It.*, £50 19*s.* 1*d.* to Wm. Jones, Town Clerk, his account from 20 June, 1794, to 23 May, 1795; *It.*, £1 1*s.* 6*d.* to Edward Westcomb, his account; *It.*, £4 11*s.* to said Westcomb, half a year's sallary as Keeper of the Exchange, an addition of £1 11*s.* this half year only; *It.*, 20 guineas to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., Sword Bearer, for the purchase of a sword.

That Richard Perry, merch^t., having served John Pedder, *do.*; Joseph Gubbins, gent., eldest son of James G., Esq.; John George Newsom, eldest son of George N., Merch^t., *dec.*; William Magrath, cooper, having served John Cole, Jun., *do.*; John Evans, Woollen Draper, having served John Garde, and afterwards Henry Sadlier, merch^t.; Edward Byrne, of Dublin, merch^t., at the request of the Mayor; John O'Mullane, merch^t., at the request of Sheriff Perrier; James Morrogh, merch^t., at the request of Sheriff Bagnell, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., and Ald. Shaw be a committee to enquire into the several matters this day referred for enquiry.

Present—The Mayor, and Sheriffs; Alden. Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, Lucas, Jackson, C. S. and Harris.

16 *June*, 1795.

Ordered, that on the recommendation of the Rector, Curate, and parishioners of the Parish of S. Peter, Charles Greaves, House Carpenter, and Charles Broad, stone cutter, be employed to rebuild the Alms House and repair the Charity School Houses in said Parish, and that they be paid £229 17*s.* 6*d.* for said work, 50 guineas when said Alms House is roofed, the balance when the whole is completed, which must be before the 29 Sep.

next, and that a further sum of 5 guineas be paid said C. Greaves if the work be approved of, said sum to be paid out of the funds of said charity; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Ald. Harris, Shaw, Mr. Lucas, and Busteed, with six to be appointed by the C. D. H., be a committee to open the ground opposite the Corn Market, for widening the street, in such manner as shall appear most conducive to the beauty of the City and the health of the inhabitants; *It.*, That £52 15*s.* be paid John Warner, painter, &c., for repairing the Cupola of the Exchange, the lead over the Council Chamber, painting and whitewashing, *do.*, and the Exchange inside and outside, repairing windows, &c.; *It.*, four guineas to Thomas Taylor for curing the Council Chamber chimneys from smoking; *It.*, £54 9*s.* 8*d.* to Charles Broad, stone cutter, for cleaning and colouring in distemper the North and West fronts of the Exchange, and the South and East returns, for repairing the fractured parts, making a new neck to one of the Urns, for pointing the joints of the stone work with Tarrar morter, finding scaffolding, cramps and lead, pursuant to estimate, &c.; *It.*, £12 to the Mayor and Sheriffs, to be by them expended in repairing the roof of the Corn Market; *It.*, that a contract be entered into with John Carthy, Mason, for the new paving the North and South Main Streets, beginning at the North end of the North Bridge and ending at the Grate at the South end of South Bridge, including the pavement about the Grate, computed to contain 6234 square yards of pavement for the sum of £216 17*s.* 9*d.*, and for keeping same in repair for six years, at 12 guineas for the first of said six years, and 24 guineas for each of the remaining five years, said Carthy giving security to the Mayor, &c., for £116 17*s.* 9*d.*, and to deliver up the streets in good order.

Whereas it appears necessary to this Board that 450 additional Lamps, Lamp Irons, and Burners are wanted for completely lighting this City, many parts being at present without any, ordered, that the Mayor do advertize for proposals for same; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Ald. Harris, and Shaw, Mr. Burgess Lucas, Busteed, and Westropp, with an equal number appointed by the C. D. H., be a committee to inspect the works now doing for the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Kingston, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, Carleton, Lucas, and Jackson, C. S.

15 *July*, 1795.

We, the Mayor, &c., do fix 450 Globe lamps of eleven inches diameter, as necessary to be erected in this City and Suburbs, in addition to those already erected, and we fix 17*s.* 5½*d.* for the iron posts, Globe heading, and Burner of each of said lamps, and for erecting and painting same £392 16*s.* 3*d.*, and the sum of 15*s.* for lighting, cleaning, &c., aforesaid lamps, from 1 Oct. to 1 June next, amounting to £337 10*s.*

We, the Mayor, &c., do appoint and contract with Bradshaw Popham and William Alexander to be contractors for erecting, &c., aforesaid 450 lamps, and for lighting, cleansing, &c., said lamps.

We do appoint the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Mayor Elect, and Sheriffs Elect, Ald^en^. Harris and Shaw, and Mr. Westropp to be a Committee for appointing where said lamps shall be erected.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Bagnell, Mayor Elect; Ald^en^. Webb, Kent, Kingston, Harris; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Carleton, and Allen, C. S.

24 *July*, 1795.

That Samuel Fryer, silversmith, having served Carden Terry, *do.*; Johnson S. Leger, cotton manufact^r^., having served Bradshaw Popham, *do.*, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, £13 12*s.* 11½*d.* be paid James and Henry Knight for printing work from 11 Oct., 1794, to 23 June, 1795; *It.*, six guineas to the Mayor for repairing and painting King George II. statue; *It.*, £40 14*s.* 9½*d.* to Carden Terry, silversmith, for a Gold Box for Lord Fitz William's freedom, and a Silver Box for Lord Milton's; *It.*, 30 guineas to W^m^. Jones, Town Clerk, his expenses in Dublin three weeks, by direction of the Managers chosen to conduct the suit brought by Sir Saml. Rowland against the Corporation of Corke.

The Mayor having represented to this Board his opinion of the necessity of establishing a Granary for receiving Corn next Season for the use of the Public, to be purchased by public subscription; ordered, that the Mayor and Sheriffs do in the name of this Corporation, subscribe 100 guineas towards such scheme, to the person to be appointed Treasurer thereto, and further, that liberty be given to the subscribers to make use of the Corn Market for storing such corn; *It.*, 40 guineas to the Mayor to provide an entertainment to commemorate the 1 Aug.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Perrier, Mayor Elect; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Lawton, Kent, Kingston, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Westropp, Izod, Busteed, Carleton, and Allen, C. S.

11 *Aug.*, 1795.

That His Excell. John Earl Camden, Lo.-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a Gold Box, with suitable address, if he comes to this part of the Country, to be presented by one of our Sheriffs, our Recorder, and Representatives if in Dublin, and by Lord Donoughmore if Col. Hutchinson should not be in Dublin.

Also, that George Foot, of Millfort, co. Corke, Esq., be admitted a freeman at large.

Ordered, that £7 1*s.* 11*d.* be paid to George Barber, upholsterer, for a leather mattrass and bolster for the use of the Main Guard House; *It.*, £12 1*s.* 2½*d.* to the Mayor, expended by him on the entertainment at Blackrock; *It.*, £2 19*s.* to Mr. Kinselagh, expenses paid by him at the Mansion House.

That Aylmer Allen, brewer, having served his late father, Aylmer A., to the time of his death, and afterwards his brother Edward Allen, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs, Mayor Elect; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Owgan, Kingston, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, and Allen, C. S.

9 *Sep.*, 1795.

Ordered, that the Sheriffs and Town Clerk wait on the Lord-Lieut., now at Lord Shannon's, at Castle Martyr, to invite His Excell. to this City to dine with the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Sir David Perrier and Bagnell; Aldᵉⁿ. Webb, Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Harris, Puxley, Shaw; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, Carleton, and Allen, C. S.

10 *Sep.*, 1795.

The very judicious, humane, and spirited conduct of Lieut.-Gen. Massey, Com.-in-Chief in Munster, on a late occasion in this City, being considered by this Board as highly meritorious and deserving of every public mark of distinction, and Gen. Massey being already a Freeman—

It is therefore resolved, that the thanks of this Board be and are hereby given to Lieut.-Gen. Massey, and that this resolution fairly transcribed, and signed by the Town Clerk, be delivered to Gen. Massey, and that it be also published in the News Papers.

That the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Bective; Rt. Hon. Lord Montjoy, Col. of Co. Dublin Militia; Sir Lawrence Parsons, Bart., Col. of the King's Co. Militia; Col. —— Buchanan, Com^g. the Detachment of the Royal Irish Artillery at Cork; Major Mahon, Com. 7th. Reg. of Dragoon Guards at Cork, for their readiness in collecting their respective Corps and for their very great exertions to preserve peace and order in this City on the above occasion; the same mark of approbation would have been voted by this Board to the Hon. Col. Foster, he being considered by them as equally entitled with the other Noblemen and Gentlemen to a like mark of distinction for his ready assistance with his corps on that occasion, but that he is already a Freeman of this City; also, Lieut.-Col. Massey, second son of Genl. Massey, and one of his aids de camp on the above occasion; Capt. Charles Massey Baker, another of Genl. Massey's aids de camps; Capt. Charles Massey, eldest son of Genl. Massey, one of the aids de camps, be presented with their freedoms.

Present—Mr. Mayor and both Sheriffs; Ald^en. Webb, Owgan, Lawton, Sir J. Franklin, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Puxley, Harris, Shaw; Mr. Busteed, Carleton, and Allen, C. S.

18 *Sep.*, 1795.

Ordered, that £89 7*s.* 10*d.* be paid the Mayor, expenses he was at in providing an entertainment at the Mansion House for His Excell. the Lo. Lieut.; *It.*, £2 12*s.* 7½*d.* to Messrs. Alexander and Johnson, expenses of the Army that attended to keep the peace at Corke Fair; *It.*, £7 13*s.* 10*d.* to the Sheriffs, expenses going to invite the Lo.-Lieut. to this City; *It.*, £7 19*s.* 3*d.* to the Mayor, expenses paid by him for News Papers at the Mansion House; *It.*, £9 3*s.* 1*d.* to Mr. Robt. Patterson, paid by him by order of the Mayor, for sending away upwards of 200 women and children belonging to the different Regiments, that embarked at Corke; *It.*, £4 16*s.* 10*d.* to the Mayor, for plaistering the inside of the buildings over the new markets to the front of Princes Street; *It.*, that one moiety, or half of the fees, &c., of the Corporation, called Anchorage and Ballast

dues, and such other dues, &c., as have been collected for the use of this Corporation by the Water Bailiff and his Deputies, from 29 Sep. inst., to 29 Sep., 1796, after payment of the charges of the office, be paid to a Committee of 15 to be chosen in C. D. H., to be applied to the improvement of the River and Harbour, giving an account to this Board; *It.*, that £60 out of the above Fees be paid to the person to be appointed Waterbailiff.

It., That a posting be put up in the Exchange, for electing a Waterbailiff for one year (duties and sureties as before). It being the opinion of this Board, that letting the dues collected by the Deputy Waterbailiff at Cove and Passage, by proposals, will considerably increase the revenue, ordered, that an advertisement be published, that the Mayor will receive sealed proposals from such persons as shall undertake the collection of such dues from the Monday next after the 29 Sep. to Monday after 29 Sep., 1796. *It.*, that the members of the Common Council, any five to be a quorum, be a committee for viewing the accounts of the Corporation; *It.*, that the Mayor and Sheriffs elect, C. S., Ald. Harris, and Mr. Busteed be a committee for auditing accounts and directing any necessary works. *It.*, that an advertisement be inserted in the Papers, that the Mayor will receive proposals until 30 Sep. from such persons as will purchase the street dung for one year, to be allotted in three divisions: one, all the streets, lanes and alleys at the north side of the North Bridge; another, all the south side of the river Lee; a third, all within the two branches of the river Lee; the persons accepted to be at the expense of collecting the dung, to find proper places to deposit same, to pay one fourth of the money in hand, and find security for the remainder, and under penalty to keep the streets constantly swept and clean. *It.*, that the Mayor, &c., for the time being, be impowered to let by lease for 5 years such stalls in the New Markets as are out of lease, no lease to be transferable, and to expire in case of the death of the taker.

Present—The Mayor, Sir David Perrier, Mayor Elect; Alden. Webb, Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Harris, Shaw, Kingston; Mr. Busteed, Carleton, and Allen, C. S.

25 *Sep.*, 1795.

Ordered, that £5 0*s.* 1*d.* be paid Dennis O'Driscoll, for printing work; *It.*, £15 19*s.* 8*d.* to Anthony Edwards, stationer, for printing; *It.*,

£52 19*s.* 10½*d.* to William Flyn, printer, and stationer, for printing work and News Papers supplied.

That Ralph Westropp, Esq., eldest son of Michæl Busteed Westropp, Esq., *dec.*; Daniel Burgess, cooper, having served John Paul, *do.*; Nicholas Lysaght, cooper, having served Andrew Hill and Roger Langley, *do.*; William Chadwicke, mariner, eldest son of William C., late Surveyor of Cove; Usher Clarke, eldest son of Abraham C.; John King Pulling, Esq., Lieut. in the Navy, for his great activity and exertions in promoting the trade of this City, and great attention to the interests of the merchants, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Bagnell; Alden. Webb, Lawton, Kingston, Harris, Puxley, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Mayor Elect, Westropp, Carleton, and Allen, C. S.

9 *Dec.*, 1795.

Jasper Lucas, Esq., Mayor.

Sheriffs Wood and Jackson and Mr. Bousfield sworn of the Council.

Ordered, that a Congratulatory Address be presented to His Majesty, and that the address now proposed be approved of, transcribed, and sent to the different members for their signatures; *It.*, that the before-mentioned address be handed to the Lord-Lieut. by our Sheriffs, our Recorder, and Representatives in Parliament, and that he be requested to transmit the same to His Majesty; *It.*, that the thanks of this Board be given to the committee of assize and provisions appointed last August, who at the request of this board undertook inspecting the returns of the Bakers and Corn Factors, to regulate the Assize of Bread, and report on the state of provisions, and that they be requested to continue their exertions; *It.*, that £5 be paid to Mr. John FitzGerald, employed by the committee to regulate the aforesaid returns, and remark thereon, for one quarter's salary now due; *It.*, £407 4*s.* to the Chamberlain, being the amount of the damages and taxed costs in the cause instituted by Sir Saml. Rowland, Knt., against the Corporation; *It.*, that Mr. Bousfield be appointed one of the Committee of assize and provisions in the room of Mr. Lane, who could not attend.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Wood and Jackson; Alden. Lawton, Kent,

Sir S. Rowland, Ald. Harris, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Allen, C. S., Bousfield, and Sir. J. Franklin.

8 *Jan.*, 1796.

Ordered, that a pension of £10 a year be paid too Mrs. Ann Fergusson, widow of Charles F., one of the Burgesses of this City; *It.*, a pension of £20 a year to Mrs. Melian Webb, widow of the late Ald. Webb; *It.*, 4 guineas to the Sergeants at Mace, for serving Council summonses for present year; *It.*, that Mr. Kent buy 100 Barrels of Coals; *It.*, £635 to the Mayor, in addition to £365 by the C. D. H.; *It.*, £5 4*s.* 9*d.* to Will. Alexander and Francis Johnson, high constables, so much expended by them in providing dinner for the officers and soldiers who attended to preserve the peace last Fair-day; *It.*, 3 guineas to Ald. Thompson, paid by him for summoning councils; *It.*, 11*s.* 3*d.* to Edwd. Westcomb, Exchange Keeper, necessaries for Exchange and Council Chamber; *It.*, 10 guineas to Alex. Thompson, to be paid to the representatives of Ann Crutch, who died of a very malignant Fever at Corke, on her return from the West Indies, being the value of her cloathing destroyed by Mr. Thompson, when Mayor, by advice of the Physicians, to prevent infection; *It.*, £14 7*s.* 10½*d.* to Thomas White, stationer, his account from 1 March, 1787, to 7 Jan., 1796; *It.*, £10 to Henry Townsend Daly, for calculating the middle price of wheat and oats, and the medium price of all corn bought in the City last year, to return to the collector weekly; *It.*, £6 13*s.* 7*d.* to John Warner, plumber, for repairing the cupola of the Exchange, pursuant to estimate.

Present—Mr. Mayor and both Sheriffs; Aldⁿ. Owgan, Kent, Sir J. Franklin, Harris, Thompson, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Bousfield, Allen, C. S., and Westropp.

11 *June*, 1796.

Ordered, that the following wages be paid for measuring and carrying coals in the City of Corke, and the following rules be observed by the Coal Measurers and Coal Porters:

To the Coal Measurer, for measuring each Barrel of Coals, one penny.

To the Coal Porter, for landing each Barrel of Coals out of a Boat, one penny.

For the Carriage of each Barrel of Coals for 100 yards or under, three half-pence.

For above 100 yards to 200 yards, twopence.

For above 200 yards to 300 *do.*, threepence halfpenny. For above 300 yards to 400 *do.*, fourpence halfpenny. For above 400 yards to 600 *do.*, fivepence halfpenny. For above 600 *do.* to 800 *do.*, sixpence halfpenny, For above 800 *do.* to 1100 *do.*, eightpence halfpenny. For bringing each barrel of Coal out of the ship, and putting the same into a carriage at the ship's side, three halfpence. If dropped on the ground and afterwards measured and put into a carriage, twopence.

Ordered, that any Measurer or Coal Porter who shall refuse to work for the above wages, or shall demand or take more wages than set forth above, shall forfeit 5*s.* for each offence, to be paid to the Governor of the House of Industry for the use of the poor, to be recovered by distress, or sale of the offender's goods.

It., that if any person shall presume to act as a Coal Measurer in said City or liberties, without being authorized by a warrant under the hand and seal of the Mayor, and first sworn to do justice between buyer and seller he shall forfeit 5*s.* to be recovered as above; *It.*, £55 0*s.* 4½*d.* to Ald. Hugh Lawton, so much expended by him for S. Stephen's Hospital; *It.*, £51 19*s.* 3*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, for work done; *It.*, 20 guineas to Saml. Reily, goldsmith, for the Gold Box presented to the present Lord-Lieut.; £84 17*s.* 7*d.* to Messrs. Shaw, Evanson, and Busteed, for cloathing supplied the Corporation; *It.*, £31 17*s.* to Messrs. Shaw, Evanson, and Busteed, for cloathing for the Boys of S. Stephen's Hospital, from 5 June, 1794, to 20 April, 1796; *It.*, £12 15*s.* 10½*d.* to W^m. Flaherty, for Mason's work; *It.*, £3 4*s.* 8*d.* to Saml. Hobbs and W^m. Flaherty, for work done at the Root Market; *It.*, £20 3*s.* 11½*d.* to Messrs. Daly and Travers, for stationery; *It.*, £18 7*s.* 5*d.* to Messrs. James and Henry Knight, for printing work; *It.*, £39 9*s.* 8½*d.* to said J. and H. Knight, for printing work; *It.*, £5 19*s.* 11*d.* to Messrs. Alexander and Johnson, High Constables, their expenses with a guard at last Cork Fair; *It.*, £6 8*s.* to Mr. John Casey, for cards for Council summonses, from 5 Dec., 1791, to 16 Feb. last; *It.*, £34 12*s.* 10½*d.* to W^m. Browne, for iron work; *It.*, £4 18*s.* 8½*d.* to John Crosby, for plaistering work done in the Mansion House; *It.*, £4 11*s.* to Ald. Owgan, one year's rent of the Coach House in Millerd Street.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Jackson; Aldᵉⁿ. Lawton, Owgan, Kingston, Harris, Puxley, Shaw, Thompson; Burgess Busteed, Bousfield, Leycester, and Allen, C. S.

8 *July*, 1796.

We, the Mayor, &c., do fix 2088 globe lamps as necessary for this City and Suburbs (conditions of lighting, trimming, &c., as usual), and we fix £1 2*s.* 6*d.* for lighting, &c., each lamp, making the yearly sum of £2349, and we appoint William Bell, of the City of Dublin, merchant, as lamp contractor, and giving security in the sum of £1000; *It.*, that the late Lamp Contractors, Messrs. Popham and Alexander, forthwith hand over unto William Bell the Lamps, Lamp Irons, &c., in their hands, he giving a receipt for same.

It appearing to this Board that the report of the Committee, 18 Sep. last, that S. Stephen's Hospital is in a most ruinous condition, and that the funds of said Hospital are insufficient without a great diminution of the number of boys, ordered, that a sum not exceeding £500 be paid to Jasper Lucas, Esq., Mayor, Sheriffs Jackson and Wood, C. S., Ald. Kingston, Harris, Shaw, and Thompson, Burgess Bousfield, and Busteed, and Allen, late C. S., and those of the C. D. H., to be expended in repairing said Hospital, to be charged on the loan, &c.

That Thomas Williams, Esq., Com. H. M. Ship Unicorn; Tho. Byam Martin, Esq., Com. H. M. Ship Santa Margaritta; Lord Amelia Beauclerk, Com. H. M. Ship Dryad; and J. Manley, Esq., Com. H. M. Ship Apollo, be presented with their freedom in Silver Boxes, in testimony of the high esteem we entertain for their exertions in protection of the Commercial interest and in support of the honour of the British Flag.

Ordered, that the thanks of this Council be presented to Vice Admiral Kingsmill, for his indefatigable attention to our trade and to the defence of this Coast, and we deem ourselves much honoured by having his name already enrolled as a Freeman of this City, and that the foregoing resolution be signed by the Town Clerk, transmitted to Admiral Kingsmill, and published in the News Papers.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Jackson; Aldᵉⁿ. Kellett, Puxley, Kingston, Harris, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Bousfield, Leycester, and Harding, C. S.

16 *July*, 1796.

That the Hon. C. Jones, Esq., Com. H. M. Ship Doris, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, in testimony of the high sense we entertain of his services in protection of the Commercial interest, and in support of the Honor of the British Flag; also Capt. Robt. Oliver, H. M. N.; Bernard Shaw, Esq., Collector of the Port of Cork; and John Cuthbert, Esq., Surveyor-General, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that £10 be paid John Fitz Gerald, for calculating the middle price of wheat and Flour, regulating the Assize of Bread, and calculating the middle and average prices of all corn and flour sold in this City, to be returned by the Mayor to the Collector of the Port.

Present—Mr. Mayor Sher. Jackson; Alden. Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kingston, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Izod, Bousfield, Leycester, and Mr. C. S.

9 *Sep.*, 1796.

The Mayor Elect sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that the Chamberlain do furnish the state of the accounts of Skiddy's and Bretridge's Alms Houses at every Council, with the state of the Corporation accounts; *It.*, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 Barrels of Coals.

That Daniel McCarthy, gent., eldest son of Charles McC., merct.; Joseph Spearing, Jun., Wine Merct., eldest son of Joseph S., of Corke, mariner; Revd. John Day, eldest son of John Day; William Johnson, gent., eldest son of Noblett Johnson; George Harrison, gent., eldest son of Joseph H., merct.; George Hodder, Jun., gent., eldest son of George H., Esq.; Edward Parks, gent., eldest son of Edward P., clothier; Rt. Hon. Lord Viscount Boyle, eldest son of Rt. Hon. Earl of Shannon; Joseph Gubbins, gent., eldest son of James G., Esq.; Jonas Stawell, Esq., eldest son of George S., Esq.; Hugh Jameson, gent., eldest son of Edwd. J., Esq.; Richard Townsend, Esq., eldest son of John T., of Shepperton, Esq.; Dennis O'Mullane, gent., eldest son of John O'M., gent.; Edward Edwards, eldest son of William Edwards, gent.; Richard Hare, Esq., eldest son of Will. Hare, Esq.; William Shinkwin, chandler, eldest son of Thomas S.; John Lavallin Puxley, Esq., eldest son of Henry P., Esq.; Achilles Daunt, of Tracton, Esq., at the request of the Mayor; Henry Fowke, brewer, at the request of Sheriff Jackson; William Nash, gent., at the request of Sher. Wood; John Keily, Esq., of Belgrove; Doctor Boyle Coghlan; James

Comerford, Esq.; Bryan Sheehy, Esq.; Albert Stubbman, merch^{t}.; Peter Worburton, Esq., Capt. R. I. Artillery; Rev^{d}. Morgan Donovan, Clk.; and Rev. John Kenny, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Jackson; Ald^{en}. Lawton, Kent, Sir S. Rowland, Kingston, Puxley, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Bousfield, Leycester, Harding, C. S., and Mayor Elect.

16 *Sep.*, 1796.

Ordered, that £25 5*s.* be paid to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, work done; *It.*, £6 15*s.* 5½*d.* to Danl Collins for repairing the South Meat Market; *It.*, £4 15*s.* to Dennis Driscol for Printing work; *It.*, 11*s.* to Edwd. Westcomb for cleaning Council Chamber; *It.*, £3 5*s.* to George Barber for upholstering work done at the Mansion House; *It.*, £1 9*s.* 9½*d.* to George Corlett for smiths' work; *It.*, £52 7*s.* 10*d.* to W^{m}. Jones, Town Clerk, in full for his account; *It.*, £12 10*s.* to Sir Saml. Rowland, fees paid by him to the Slizors (?) in his cause; *It.*, £12 7*s.* 5½*d.* to Strettell Jackson, Esq., expended by him since he became Sheriff; *It.*, £31 19*s.* 8½*d.* to the Mayor, expended by him on public occasions; *It.*, £5 11*s.* to Mrs. Travers, for a mattrass, &c., provided by her at the time the Lord-Lieut. came to Corke; *It.*, £10 to Joseph Gibbs for teaching the children of the Blue Coat Hospital to sing; *It.*, £23 10*s.* 3½*d.* to Philip Bennett, apothecary, for medicines and attendance at the Blue Coat Hospital; *It.*, £38 7*s.* 3½*d.* to Robt. Reeves, Agent in Dublin, for different opinions taken by him and approbations; *It.*, £9 16*s.* 4½*d.* to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., amount of his account; *It.*, that one moiety, or half of the Fees, &c., collected by the Waterbailiff and his Deputies to be collected from 29 Sep. next to 29 Sep., 1797, shall, after the payment of the charges of said office, be put into the hands of a Committee, to be chosen in the C. D. H., to be applied for the same purpose as contained in the order of 18 Sep. last; *It.*, that a sallary of £60 be paid the Waterbailiff, and that a posting be put up in the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff; *It.*, that the Corporation dues collected by the Dep. Waterbailiff of Cove and Passage be set to the Highest bidder; *It.*, we appoint the person who shall be accepted as the Highest bidder for the dues of Cove and Passage, to be Dep. Water Bailiff for said places during the pleasure of this Board; *It.*, that the Members of the Common Council be a

committee for inspecting the receipt of the Corporation Moiety of the Waterbailiffs' dues.

That Major Boyle Travers; Gersham Herrick, gent., of Clonakilty; John Villiers, Esq., of Limerick; Richard Wood, merch^{t}.; Robt. Patterson, Dep. Waterbailiff; Henry Cartres Kellett, Esq.; Robert Longfield, of Longueville, Esq.; Simon Dring, Esq.; Will. Maxwell, Merch^{t}.; Patrick Waters, merch^{t}.; Joseph Harding, Esq.; John Callanan, Esq., Doctor of Physic; Rev^{d}. Will. Newman Perry, Clk., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, both Sheriffs, Mayor Elect; Ald^{en}. Owgan, Kent, Sir S. Rowland, Harris, Puxley, Shaw, Thompson, Lawton; Mr. Busteed, Leycester, Harding, C. S., Izod, and Bousfield.

27 *Sep.*, 1796.

Ordered, that £11 16*s.* 8½*d.* be paid the Widow Campbell, for cutlery ware for the Mansion House; *It.*, that Robert Patterson be appointed Dep. Waterbailiff of the City of Corke.

That Henry Moore, Esq., eldest son of Richard M., Esq., Counc.-at-Law; Richard Dunscombe, Esq., eldest son of Rich^{d}. D., Esq.; Rev^{d}. James Sandiford, eldest son of Rev^{d}. Henry S.; William Jameson, Jun., eldest son of Will. J.; Mathias Hendley, Esq., eldest son of Christ^{r}. H., Esq.; John Robinson, Jun. gent., eldest son of John R., merch^{t}.; Isaac Hewett, gent., eldest son of Thos. H., chandler; Richard Grey Bennett, gent., eldest son of Philip B.; Michæl Rogers, Esq., eldest son of Noblett Rogers, Esq.; James Ellis Green, having served James Ellis and Roger Green; Alexander Alexander, eldest son of William A.; James O'Connor, gent, eldest son of Rowland Jackson O'C.; Nicholas Homan, shipwright, having served Edward Allin and William Allin; George Bradshaw, Cotton manufacturer, having served James Sadlier, *do.*; Henry Stratford Persse, merch^{t}.; William Prittie, gent., having served Robt. Travers, *do.*; Henry Hewitt, chandler, having served Thomas Hewitt, *do.*; Barry Hartwell, gent., having served James Gregg, *do.*; Henry Allen, brewer, having served Christ. Allen; Henry Wigmore, cooper, having served Arthur Acteson, *do.*; Roger Green, merch^{t}., having served Roger Green, *do.*; William Patten, gent., having served W^{m}. Jones, Town Clerk, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Mayor Elect, Sher. Jackson; Ald^{en}. Lawton, Sir S.

Rowland, Kingston, Harris, Shaw, Puxley; Mr. Izo d, Busteed, Bousfield Leycester, and Harding, C. S.

28 *Oct.*, 1796.
Vesian Pick, Esq., Mayor.

The Sheriffs sworn into the Council.

Mr. Walter Hussey Fitton, who for some time past kept possession of the Coal Barrels, having this day applyed to the Board for payment of a demand he alledges to have against the Corporation on account of them, and Mr. Fitton having engaged to this Board, within three weeks from date hereof, to deliver up to the Waterbailiff 50 Coal Barrels, 14 half-Barrels, and 20 three-quarter Barrels, in good order; ordered, that upon said Fitton's performing his engagement he shall be paid £135 11*s.* 10*d.*, deducting a guinea and a half for each Barrel, a guinea for each half Barrel, and half a guinea for each quarter Barrel, not delivered in good order within said time. *It.*, that 20 new coal barrels be provided, and that an advertisement be published, that the Mayor and Mr. Westropp will receive proposals from such persons as are willing to contract; *It.*, £29 19*s.* 3*d.* to the Mayor, for carpeting for the Mansion House, and papering some of the rooms; *It.*, 5 guineas to the Mayor and Mr. Kinselagh, for providing cloathing for Tom Burke; *It.*, that a Gold Medal be provided, to be presented to John Thompson, Esq., with such inscription as contained in the resolution of the Court, 5 Oct., 1795, this Board being unanimous in their opinion of the merits of Ald. Thompson during the year of his chief Magistracy, and that our approbation of Gen. Massey's conduct be forwarded to him.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Gibbings and Allen; Ald^en^. Lawton, Sir S. Rowland, Harris, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Busteed, and Harding, C. S.

30 *Dec.*, 1796.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, that £200 as the immediate donation of this Corporation be paid to the Mayor, Sher. Gibbins, Sir S. Rowland, and Mr. Bousfield, to be by them expended in such manner as they and Ald. Thompson, Mr. Perry, and Mr. Beamish shall think proper, upon the present alarming exigencies of the times.

That the Hon. and Rev^d^. Thos. S. Lawrence, Dean of Cork, be presented

with his freedom in a Silver Box, in testimony of our respect for the benignity of his virtues and the liberality of his sentiments; also, the Rev. Doctor Francis Moylan, in a Silver Box, to perpetuate our grateful approbation of his pious exertions in promoting the peace and good order of his country at the moment of menaced invasion.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Gibbins and Allen; Aldᵉⁿ. Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Thompson; Burgess Westropp, Busteed, Bousfield, and Harding, C. S.

4 *Jan.*, 1797.

Ordered, that 10 guineas be paid John FitzGerald for his trouble in calculating the medium and average prices of all corn and flour sold in this City, to enable the Mayor to make a weekly return to the Collector of the Port; *It.*, £6 12*s.* 11*d.* to Messrs. Johnson and Alexander, High Constables, being their expenses with a guard at last Cork Fair.

It., that a memorial in the name of the Mayor, &c., be presented to the Rt. Hon. the Chief Commissioners of His Maj. Revenue, praying that the Commissioners appointed for building the Bridge lately built over the north channel of the River Lee, be permitted to stop up the ope in said Bridge, having a Portcullis or lifting Bridge over said ope, being attended with great interruption to the navigation of the River and the Trade of the City.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Gibbins and Allen; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Thompson; Mr. Bousfield and Harding, C. S.

27 *Jan.*, 1797.

Resolved, that the thanks of this Board be given to Sir Patrick O'Conor, Knt., Chairman, and to the gentlemen who composed the Cork Committee, for the ability and attention with which they executed the duties undertaken by them, and which this board consider to have been most highly beneficial to the Public.

Resolved, that in testimony of our approbation Sir Patrick O'Conor be admitted a freeman at large.

It., that the thanks of this Board be given to Richard White, Esq., of Seafield Park, near Bantry, for his spirited conduct on the late attempt of

the French to invade this country; *It.*, that the sincere thanks of this Board be given to the Yeomanry Corps of the Co. and City of Corke who so eminently distinguished themselves in the Public Service at the late alarming crisis; *It.*, that this Board are highly sensible of the spiri and promptitude which prevailed amongst the Regular and Militia Forces and the dependance to be placed on their exertions, and for which we return them our particular thanks.

That Thomas Westropp, Esq., Doctor of Physic; Joseph Dennis, Esq. Counc.-at-Law; John Martin, mercht., be admitted freemen at large.

It., that the several foregoing resolutions of thanks be published twice in the Cork Evening Post, Flyn's papers, and the Dublin and Hibernian Journals; *It.*, £29 14s. 1*d.* to the Mayor, so much expended by him in the Public Service during the time of the alarm of the French being on the Coast.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Allen; Ald^en^. Lawton, Rowland, Puxley, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Busteed, Bousfield, Harding, C. S., and Westropp.

9 *May*, 1797.

Ordered, that a Bond for £200, payable to Mrs. Eliz. Westropp, and another Bond for £550 payable to Hans Stuart, Esq., both bearing interest at 6 *per cent.*, be passed by the Corporation, instead of a bond for £150; and another, for £600, heretofore passed to said Hans Stewart, which are to be given up on said two first-mentioned bonds being passed. *It.*, that a bond for £500 passed to Mr. John Teulon, for £500 at 6 *per cent.*, dated 17 July, 1789, and which was assigned by him to Mr. Michæl Usher Doyle, and further assigned by Mr. Doyle to Mr. William Craig, of Henry Street, Vintner, be taken up, and instead thereof a bond passed by the Mayor, &c., to said Craig, for the sum of £500 at 6 *per cent.*; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., for the time being, Burgess Busteed, Ald. Shaw and Thompson, be a committee for examining tradesmen's accounts.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Gibbins and Allen; Ald^en^. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Puxley, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas; Mr. Busteed, Lawton, Kellett, Izod, Westropp, Bousfield, and Harding, C. S.

13 *June*, 1797.

That John Mitchell, clothier, eldest son of George M., *do.*; Thomas

Jennings, merch^t., eldest son of Montgomery J., *do.;* Rev^d. Edwd. Herbert Kenney, eldest son of Rev^d. Doctor John K.; William Robinson, merch^t., eldest son of James R., cooper, *dec.;* Mansell Westcomb, cotton manufacturer, having served H. and Js. Sadlier, be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that 4 guineas be paid Thomas Owgan, Esq., a year's rent of a Coach House held with the Mansion house; *It.*, 16*s.* 4½*d.* to Edwd. Westcomb, Exchange keeper; *It.*, £5 8*s.* for News Papers, and 2 guineas on account to Mr. Kinselagh who paid the above sums.

That William Dillon, merch^t., having served John Cotter, *do.;* John Seward, shipwright, having served Edward and William Allen, *do.;* Philip Parker, merch^t., having served John Teulon, Butter Merchant; Samuel Allen, merch^t., having served Cha. Ferguson, *do.*, and John Anderson, *do.;* Colombine Lee; Carré Williams, eldest son of Carré Williams, Esq.; Henry Morrison, cooper, having served Arthur Warner, *do.;* Chambre Corker, gent., eldest son of Rev^d. Chambre Corker, *dec.*, be admitted freemen at large, and George Lumsdane, Esq., Com. H. M. Ship Polyphemus, presented in a Silver Box.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Gibbins; Ald^en. Owgan, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Bousfield, and Harding, C. S.

24 *July*, 1797.

Ordered, that £60 16*s.* 4½*d.* be paid to Saml. Hobbs, work done; *It.*, £92 6*s.* 9*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, in full for their account; *It.*, £13 8*s.* 10*d.* to the Mayor, for different expenses at the Mansion House; *It.*, £7 17*s.* 4*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh, expenses at the Mansion House; *It.*, £59 5*s.* 10*d.* to Mr. Jones, Town Clerk, business done; *It.*, £15 0*s.* 5½*d.* to William Flyn, Printer, for work done; *It.*, £22 3*s.* 9½*d.* to John Turner, glasier, for work done; *It.*, £20 7*s.* 9*d.* to George Barber, for work done; *It.*, £34 0*s.* 11½*d.*, to James and Henry Knight, printers, their account; *It.*, £45 10*s.* 2½*d.* to Messrs. Terry and Williams, work done; *It.*, £2 0*s.* 8½*d.* to James and Henry Knight, printers, work done; *It.*, 10 guineas to John FitzGerald, half year's salary for calculating the Assize of Bread; *It.*, £27 6*s.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing for the Boys bound from S. Stephen's Hospital, from 31 Oct., 1796, to 14 June, 1797; *It.*, £12 19*s.* 0½*d.* to James and Henry Knight, for printing work; *It.*, £30 10*s.* to said J. and

H. Knight, for printing and stationery work done; *It.*, £14 18*s.* 6*d.* to the execrs. of George Seymour, pewterer, for work done.

That John Bowman, mercht., a Protestant stranger paying 20*s.*; William Bouman, *do.*, *do.*; Robert Armstrong, Esq., eldest son of Edward A., Esq.; John Finch Pick, eldest son of Revd. John P.; William Patterson, mercht., eldest son of Robt. P., *do.*; Michæel Rogers, Esq., eldest son of Noblett R., Esq.; William Dennison, chandler, having served Henry Knight, *do.*; William Jenkins, Esq., late Dep. Recorder of this City; Humphry Evans Williams, gent., having served Thomas Pope, Atty.-at-Law; John Barter Bennett, surgeon, having served John Lane and Thos. Harris, *do.*; William Hobbs, gent., having served Thos. Mannix, Atty.; Robert Atkins, cooper, having served Richard Atkins, *do.*; Abraham Clark, Jun., having served Abraham Clark, Sen.; Joseph Wallis Hoare, Esq., eldest son of Edward H., Esq.; James Morgan, mercht., having served Thomas Burnett, Attwell Hayes, and Francis Richard Rowe; William Dillon, mercht., having served John Cotter, *do.*; William Doolittle, having served Robert and George Stevelly, mercht.; William Seymour, Jun., having served William Seymour, brass-founder; Joshua Hughes, tinplate worker, having served Thomas Seymour, *do.*; Edward Phair, paper maker, having served William Phair, *do.*; John Mayberry, cooper, son of Duckett Mayberry, having served John Mayberry, be admitted freemen at large.

It., 40 guineas to the Mayor, to provide an entertainment down the river in commemoration of 1 Aug.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Lucas; Mr. Izod, Westropp, Bousfield, and Digby, C. S.

11 *Aug.*, 1797.

That John Fitz Gerald, of Hermitage, co. Cork, gent., at the request of Mr. Mayor; Thomas Gibbins, Esq., late Major 23 Regt., at the request of Mr. Sheriff Gibbins; John Steel, Silk and Worsted Manufr., a foreign Protestant on the statute; Sir John Murray, Bart., be admitted freemen at large.

Ordered, that Mr. Kent do buy 100 Barrels of Coals.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Gibbins; Alden. Owgan, Kent, Sir S. Rowland; Mr. Izod, Busteed, Bousfield, and Digby, C. S.

31 *Aug.*, 1797.

Ordered, that the Tolls, &c., called Anchorage and Ballast, &c., as this Corporation are entitled to receive from Ships and vessels coming into this Harbour, be let in separate divisions of Corke, Passage, and Cove for one year, the taker to pay one quarter's rent deposit and enter security for the other three; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for the election of a Water Bailiff for one year, at a salary of £60; *It.*, that one half of the neat produce of the aforesaid Tolls, &c., be paid to a Committee to be chosen in the C. D. H., to be expended in clearing and improving the Harbour.

That William Bagwell, Esq., eldest son of John B., Esq., of Marlfield; Thomas Harris, gent., eldest son of John H., merch^{t}.; Henry Baldwin, of Mountpleasant, Esq., eldest son of Walter B., Esq.; Hon. Michæl De Courcy, Capt. H. M. Ship Magnaniné; William Massey Baker, Esq., son of the late Ald. Baker; Richard Ellis, Esq., of Youghal; Benjamin Scott, of Coolmain, Esq.; Henry Longfield, of Longueville, Esq.; Thomas Stephney Chudleign, Esq., Major 28 Dragoons; Edward Croker, of Curryglass, Esq.; Patrick Goold, merch^{t}.; Rev^{d}. Mr. Will. Thompson; Francis William Busteed, of Bailinrea, gent.; John Hawkes, of Surmount, Esq.; Benj. Barter, of Annagh, Esq.; Rev^{d}. Arthur Herbert, of Myross; Henry Martin, of Bourdeaux, merch^{t}.; Richard Richard Perry, gent.; Savage Donovan, Esq., Doctor of Physic; Sir John Newport, Bart.; Michæl Usher Doyle, gent., for his active exertions in assisting at all Theatrical performances for the benefit of Charitable Institutions in this City, without taking any pecuniary compensation, be admitted freemen at large.

It., that Messrs. Daly and Travers be paid £15 2*s.* 6½*d.* their account; *It.*, £3 4*s.* 1½*d.* to the Mayor for Newspapers furnished at the Mansion House; *It.*, £8 13*s.* 9*d.* to the Mayor, balance for the entertainment on 1 Aug.; *It.*, £12 11*s.* 11½*d.* to the Sheriffs, for printing work in consequence of different requisitions; *It.*, £10 17*s.* 3½*d.* to the Town Clerk paid for taking the opinion of Council concerning the public money.

That Ambrose Sadlier, merch^{t}., and Thomas Daunt, apothecary, be admitted freemen at large.

It., six guineas to the Serjeants-at-Mace for summoning Councils for two years past.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Kent, Thompson, Shaw, Lucas, Sir S. Rowland; Mr. Busteed, Bousfield, and Digby, C. S.

15 *Sep.*, 1797.

Whereas His Excell. the Lo.-Lieut. is shortly expected in the neighbourhood of this City, ordered, that the Sheriffs and C. S. wait on His Excell. and invite him to visit this City and dine with the Corporation.

That John Green, Esq., of Greenmount, Co. Limerick, Esq.; Revᵈ. Richᵈ. Gibbins; Joseph Bullen, Esq., late Sovereign of Kinsale; and Crofton Uniack, Esq., of Ballyvir, be admitted freemen at large.

Present—Vesian Pick, Mayor; Thos. Gibbins, Sheriff; Tho. Owgan, Samˡ. Rowland, Richᵈ. Kellett, Rich. Harris, Henry Puxley, John Shaw, Jasper Lucas, Michael Busteed, Richᵈ. Digby, C. S.

28 *Sep.*, 1797.

The Mayor Elect sworn.

Ordered, that £27 10*s.* 4*d.* be paid the Mayor for different expenses at the Mansion House; *It.*, £5 17*s.* to Mr. Kinselagh, small expenses at the Mansion House; *It.*, £7 1*s.* 7½*d.* to Francis Johnson and Will. Alexander, high constables, for having a guard to protect the peace at the Fair; *It.*, £36 8*s.* 4*d.* to William Browne, smith, for work done; *It.*, £97 7*s.* 10*d.* to the Mayor for the expenses of entertaining the Lo.-Lieut. on his late visit to this City.

That Thomas White, stationer, be admitted a freeman.

It., that Robᵗ. Patterson be appointed Dep. Waterbailiff of Corke; Henry Seymour, Dep. Waterbailiff at Cove; and William Cottrell, Dep. Waterbailiff at Passage.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Gibbins; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Kellett, Rowland, Harris, Thompson, Lucas; Mr. Busteed, Bousfield, and Digby, C. S.

21 *Nov.*, 1797.

Kingsmill Berry, Esq., Mayor.

That Hungerford Baldwin, Wollen Draper, having served Ald. John Shaw and Burgess Charles Evanson, be admitted a freeman.

Ordered, that £8 1*s.* 1*d.* be paid Philip Bennett, apothecary, medicines and attendance for the Boys in S. Stephen's Hospital from 23 Sep., 1796, to

17 Sep., 1797; *It.*, that a pension of £10 a year be paid Mrs. Johanna Waggett, widow of Christopher Waggett, Esq.; *It.*, £10 to Joseph Gibbs for one year's instructions of the Boys in S. Stephen's Hospital to sing.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Lucas, Sir Vesian Pick, Shaw, Puxley, Carleton, Sir S. Rowland, Lawton, Thompson; Mr. Busteed, Harris, Digby, C. S., Bousfield, and Kellett.

28 *Nov.*, 1797.

Ordered, that the Rt. Hon. Lord Viscount Duncan be presented with his freedom in a Gold Box as a token of the very high opinion this Board entertains of his great merit and Exertions, in gloriously defeating the Dutch Fleet on the 11 Oct. last, and that the Freedom be transmitted by the Mayor to Lord Duncan; *It.*, that the Mayor do apply in the name of the Corporation to the Treasurer of the pipe water scheme, for an account of the state of the fund of that corporation; *It.*, that the Mayor do receive proposals from such persons as are willing to undertake sweeping the streets.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Harding and Cuthbert; Ald^en^. Lawton, Owgan, Kellett, Sir S. Rowland, Puxley, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Carleton, Bousfield, and Digby, C. S.

22 *Jan.*, 1798.

That the Rt. Hon. Sir Ralph Abercrombie, K.B., Com.-in-Chief of H. M. Forces in Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; Major Gen. William Loftus in a Silver Box, as a testimony of this Board's approbation of his Public Conduct whilst he commanded in this City; and Capt. Faulkner of H. M. Ship Diana.

Ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange for the Election of a Waterbailiff until the Monday after 29 Sep. next, in the room of Richard Perry, resigned; that Mr. Kent do buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, that the Corporation Bond to Hans Stewart, Esq., for £550 be taken up, and that two other Bonds to Mrs. Eliz. Westropp for £150 each be taken up, and that the Corporation Bond be passed to Hans Stewart, Esq., for £400, and another for £450 to Mrs. Eliz. Westropp with interest at 6 *per cent.*

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Lawton, Owgan, Kent, Kellett, Lucas, Puxley, Thompson; Mr. Westropp, Carleton, and Digby.

16 *Feb.*, 1798.

Ordered, that a Bond bearing date 31 March, 1789, passed by the Mayor, &c., to Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., for £175 with interest, and which has been assigned to Mrs. Hannah Seymour, be taken up, and a new bond passed to said H. Seymour for £175 at 6 *per cent.; It.*, £9 4*s.* 11½*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh for expenses at the Mansion House, by order of the Mayor; *It.*, 10 guineas to John Fitz Gerald for half a year's salary, for calculating the prices of wheat and flour to ascertain the assize of bread; *It.*, £1 16*s.* 5½*d.* to John Warner, glazier, for work done; *It.*, £14 13*s.* 2*d.* (English) to Mr. Edmond Barnes for Newspapers from 5 Jan., 1787, to 27 May, 1791.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Cuthbert and Harding; Ald^en^. Lawton, Owgan, Kellett, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, Digby, C. S., and Sir Vesian Pick.

27 *Feb.*, 1798.

Ordered, that the sum of £500 be paid out of the Corporation Revenues to the Mayor, to be transmitted by him to His Majestie's Treasury as the Gift of this Corporation, to answer the present public exigencies of the state.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Thompson, Lucas, Sir Vesian Pick; Mr. Westropp, Bousfield, Leycester, and Digby, C. S.

20 *March*, 1798.

Ordered, that the Corporation bond for £50 be passed to Hans Stuart, Esq., with 6 *per cent.*, to fully secure to him the money due from the Corporation, being £450; *It.*, £11 5*s.* to George Barber, the price of 32 Barrels of coals.

Whereas a Committee appointed for repairing S. Stephen's Hospital have determined on a plan furnished by Edward Marks, amounting to £257 1*s.* exclusive of cost of timber, supposed to be about £140, this day laid before this Board, ordered, that the Mayor, &c., do enter into a contract for such repairs, or so much as they shall see necessary with said Edwd. Marks, to be paid out of the revenues of the Hospital; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Ald. Shaw, and Thompson, Mr. Bousfield, and Busteed do receive proposals

for repairing and painting the Castle and offices of Blackrock; *It.*, £6 13*s.* 8*d.* to Francis Johnson and Wm. Alexander, High Constables, expenses paid by them for the officers and soldiers who attended the last Fair to preserve the peace; *It.*, £7 1*s.* 9½*d.* to the Sheriffs, so much paid by them for preservation of the peace; *It.*, that the sense this Board entertains of the Gallant Conduct of their fellow Citizen Capt. Drury, in the action of the 11 Oct. last, be conveyed to him in the name of this Board by the Town Clerk.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldn Owgan, Kellett, Thompson, Westropp, Puxley; Mr. Busteed, Bousfield, Leycester, and Digby, C. S.

2 *April*, 1798.

That Major.-Gen. Myers, Com. the Garrison of Corke, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, with a suitable acknowledgement of the sense this Board entertains of the good conduct of him and the Garrison under his command; also, that Lieut.-Col. John Finlay, Com. the Dublin Militia, now part of this garrison; William Wilson, Esq., Major of the 2nd Fencible Regt. of Light Dragoons; Maurice Blake, Esq., Major and now commanding the North Mayo Regt.; George Hay, Esq., Major and now commanding the Elgin Fencibles Regt., be presented with their freedoms.

Ordered, that 100 guineas be paid the person who shall prosecute to conviction the author of an inflamatory hand Bill, published in this City last Tuesday, addressed "To Militia Men," with intent to prevent a most loyal part of His Maj. subjects from doing their duty, and that 20 guineas be paid to any person who shall discover the Printer of such hand Bill, so that he may be prosecuted to conviction, or who shall give private information that the author may be apprehended; *It.*, that the above rewards be offered by public advertisement, to be published in the Cork Papers, and that such rewards shall be offered for six calendar Months; *It.*, that £5 17*s.* 5½*d.* be paid to Eugean Daly, for stationary for the Mansion House.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Harding; Aldn. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Thompson, Lucas, Sir Vesian Pick, Kellett; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, Bousfield, Leycester, and Digby, C. S.

11 *May*, 1798.

Whereas it is the opinion of this Board that moving King George the

Second's statue from the place in which it is now erected, to the South end of the Grand Parade, will be a great improvement to the Public Passage and an ornament to that end of the City, ordered, that the following gentlemen be a Committee to receive proposals for the above purpose and report, the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Sir Saml. Rowland, Ald. Thompson, and Mr. Busteed.

Ordered, that £5 15*s.* 4*d.* be paid to the Sheriffs, expended in the public service.

That Thomas Herbert Orpen, Esq., eldest son of Herbert O., Esq.; Thomas Ellis, Esq., son of Richard E., Esq.; Henry A. Goold, eldest son of Patrick G., mercht.; George Carleton, mercht., having served Wm. Leycester and Saml. McCall, *do.*, be admitted freemen at Large.

It., 4 guineas to Ald. Owgan, a year's rent of a stable held with the Mansion House.

Whereas the Mayor, &c., by their order dated 24 Feb., 1789, ordered, that the person appointed Constable or Keeper of the Castle of Blackrock should during his continuance, at his own expense, keep the Castle and offices of Blackrock in complete order, and repair and paint the same as often as this Board shall think fit, which order was confirmed by the C. D. H., and whereas Thomas Shinkwin, one of the Freemen, Vintner, was appointed Constable thereof, and he has neglected to perform the said condition, this Board doth hereby determine the appointment of said Shinkwin to be constable of the Castle of Blackrock.

That Richard Foot, gent., having served James Gregg and John Franklin, *do.*; Thomas Dunscombe, mercht.; Thomas Crofts, clothier, having served Jacob Biggs, *do.*; and Thomas Walker, Distiller, be admitted freemen at large.

It., 17*s.* 3*d.* to the Exchange Keeper.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Aldn. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Lucas, Lawton, Shaw, Thompson, Puxley; Mr. Busteed, Bousfield, Leycester, and Digby, C. S.

5 *May*, 1798.

Mr. Philip Allen sworn a Council man.

That Andrew Pick, eldest son of Sir Vesian Pick, Kt.; John O'Connor,

gent., eldest son of Sir Patrick O'Connor; James Ingram, gent., eldest son of James I., mercht., *dec.*, be admitted Freemen at large.

Ordered, that the Mayor order 200 Barrels of Coals to be bought for the Corporation.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding; Ald^en^. Lawton, Sir S. Rowland, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Busteed, Allen, Bousfield, Leycester, and Digby, C. S.

23 *June*, 1798.

Ordered, that the Corporation subscription of £500 be immediately raised from the Pipe Water Shares, and paid to the Mayor, to be by him transmitted to the Lords of the Treasury, agreeable to order of this Board of 27 Feb., 1798; *It.*, that Sheriff Harding be paid £6 3*s.*, money expended on contingencies.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sher. Harding and Cuthbert; Ald^en^. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Thompson, Bousfield, Leycester, and Digby, C. S.

29 *June*, 1798.

The Common Speaker sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Resolved unanimously, that the address now read be transmitted to Earl Camden, expressive of our gratitude to him for his exertions to preserve this kingdom.

Resolved, that on account of the delay that may attend individual signature of each Councilman, that the address be signed by the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., and transmitted by the Clerk of the Council to Lord Carleton, our Recorder, to be by him forwarded to Earl Cambden.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Sir S. Rowland, Puxley, Shaw, Thompson; Mr. Busteed, Leycester, and Pope, C. S.

17 *July*, 1798.

Ordered, that £38 17*s.* 1*d.* be paid to Carden Terry and John Williams, for work done; *It.*, £84 19*s.* 11*d.*, to James and Henry Knight, for printing work; *It.*, £64 18*s.* 6*d.* to W^m^. Jones, Town Clerk, for business done; *It.*, £9 17*s.* 6*d.* to George Barber, for money paid for coal for the Guard Houses; *It.*, 4 guineas to Sheriff Cuthbert, expenses of pressed horses during the time of the alarm; *It.*, one guinea to Sheriff Harding, paid by him to a

man who had brought Potatoes to the market, and who had them taken from him; *It.*, £7 13*s.* 6*d.* to Wm. Maturin, for News Papers furnished; £3 0*s.* 8*d.* to Henry Knight, stationer, his account; *It.*, £2 16*s.* for candles and straw for the flying Artillery, to George Barber, paid by him.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldcn. Lawton, Sir S. Rowland, Thompson, Lucas, Westropp, and Pope, C. S.

27 *July*, 1798.

Ordered, that £3 5*s.* 7½*d.* be paid to the Mayor for Parish Rate for the Mansion House and Stable; *It.*, 10 guineas to John Fitz Gerald, half-a-year's salary for calculating the prices of wheat and flour in order to strike the assize of bread; *It.*, £77 13*s.* 10½*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing furnished for the Sargeants, Bailiffs, Bellmen, and Exchange Porter this year; *It.*, £7 5*s.* 2*d.* to Thomas Jones, Woollen Draper, for a carpet for the Mansion House; *It.*, £2 12*s.* to James Fitz Gerald, for mending the paper in the Ball Room; *It.*, £1 12*s.* 4½*d.* to Cæsar Fanning, for Paper-hangings for the Bedchambers in the Mansion House; *It.*, £2 17*s.* 2*d.* to David Heffernan, for whitewashing at the Mansion House; *It.*, £18 12*s.* 7*d.* to Edmond R. Kinselagh, Esq., paid by him, by order of the Mayor, for the relief of poor persons left in this City without provision, in consequence of the disturbance and for the passage of several women and children to several ports; *It.*, £28 18*s.* 4*d.* to Edward Morgan, for printing work done; *It.*, £6 15*s.* 4*d.* to the Mayor, so much paid by him to Mr. Patterson, expenses of sending sundry vagrants and persons begging out of this City by Water, since 14 May; *It.*, £31 17*s.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for cloathing supplied the Blue Boys bound apprentice from S. Stephen's Hospital.

That Sir Charles Ross, Bart., be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, for his unceasing exertion to the preservation of the peace and order of this City during his command of the garrison; Major-Gen. Henry Johnson in a Silver Box, for his great services rendered to his country, by his judicious and gallant exertions at the head of the King's Troops, by which the Rebels were repeatedly defeated in the co. Wexford.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Harding; Aldcn. Owgan, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, Bousfield, Leycester, and Pope, C. S.

21 *Aug.*, 1798.

Ordered, £10 12*s.* 4*d.* for an English News Paper furnished to the Mansion House; *It.*, that the Committee for setting the Gateage Tolls for next year be summoned to meet on Wednesday; *It.*, that the Tolls. &c., called Anchorage and Ballast, &c., be let for one year by sealed proposals, as last year (same terms); *It.*, that a posting for the electing a Waterbailiff for the ensueing year be put up in the Exchange, salary, £60; *It.* that one half of the neat produce of the aforesaid Tolls, &c., be expended in cleaning and improving the harbour.

That Bonnis Berry, Esq., brother to the Mayor, and at his request; Henry Harding, Esq., of Hardingrove, co. Limerick, Esq., at the request of Sher. Harding; Thomas Stubbeman, gent., at the request of Sheriff Cuthbert; Stawell Webb Terry, gent., eldest son of Carden Terry; John Hawkes, Jun., Esq., eldest son of John Hawkes, Esq.; John White, Esq., Counc.-at-Law, eldest son of Tho. W., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Westropp and Pope, C. S.

11 *Sep.*, 1798.

Ordered, that £7 17*s.* 9*d.* be paid Anthony Edwards, stationer, his account; *It.*, £66 14*s.* 8½*d.* to Will. Flyn, Printer, his account from 8 Sep., 1796 to 11 Sep., 1798; *It.*, £60 to John Newman, cooper, for 20 Coal Barrels; *It.*, £1 18*s.* 10½*d.* to Harriet Bottomly, for repairing the Curtains and Carpets at the Mansion House; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S. be a committee for examining printing and tradesmen's accounts, and that no account be passed this Council without being first examined, and that notice be given the Printers and Tradesmen that no account will be passed that shall not be furnished every six months, and that for all printing work the Mayor, one of the Sheriffs or Town Clerk's order shall be produced, for tradesmens' accounts the order of the Mayor and one of the Sheriffs, or C. S., or of the Mayor or of one of the Sheriffs and one of the Committee, for all work charged for, shall be produced, and that every affidavid to every such account shall state that no such printing work or no such tradesman's work has been done without such order, each account to be furnished every 25 March and 29 Sepᵗ.; *It.*, £27 7*s.* 7*d.* to George Barber, for money paid and work done.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en^. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Lucas, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Leycester, Busteed, and Pope, C. S.

27 *Sep.*, 1798.

The Mayor Elect sworn to keep the secrets of the Council.

Ordered, that Robt. Patterson be appointed Dep. Waterbailiff of the district of Corke; *It.*, William Cottrell, *do.*, of the district of Passage; *It.*, Henry Seymour, *do.*, of the district of Cove.

That His Excell. Charles, Marquis of Cornwallis, Lo.-Lieut. of Ireland, be presented with his freedom in a Gold Box, to be presented by our Recorder and Representatives in Parliament, and that a suitable address be presented therewith; also, the Rt. Hon. Lord Castlereagh, Principal Sec. to the Lo.-Lieut. in a Silver Box.

It., £14 6*s.* 3*d.* to Charles Dickinson, for kitchen furniture supplied the Mansion House; *It.*, £4 18*s.* to the Mayor, for scarlet moreen curtains for the bedsteads belonging to the Mansion House; *It.*, £15 15*s.* for a variety of contingent expenses paid at the Mansion House by order of the Mayor, by Mr. Kinselagh; *It.*, £2 13*s.* 1*d.*, to Sher. Harding, expended by him; *It.*, 7 guineas to the Mayor, paid by him for the Attorney-General's opinion on the construction of the Salt Act, in order to ascertain the price of salt.

That Davies Tuckey, gent., having served the late Thos. Chatterton, and James Chatterton, Jun., Atty.-at-Law, be admitted a freeman at large.

It., £10 to Joseph Gibbs, one year's instructing the children of the Blue Coat Hospital to sing; *It.*, that Kingsmill Berry, Esq., be appointed Constable of the Castle of Blackrock; *It.*, £3 4*s.* 6*d.* to Robert Patterson, paid by him for sending several women that were an incumbrance to the City to England.

That Richard Donovan, Esq., Commander of the Lord Donoughmore, revenue cruiser; Capt. Jasper Swete, now in the service of the Hon. East India Company; Richard Walsh, gent.; Rich^d^. Roberts, of Ardmore, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Cuthbert and Harding; Ald^en^. Lawton, Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Puxley, Thompson, Sir V. Pick, Lucas, the Mayor Elect; Mr. Busteed, Leycester, and Pope, C. S.

16 *Oct.*, 1798.

Philip Bennett, Esq., Mayor.

Ordered, that £18 15*s.* 11*d.* be paid Charles O'Sullivan, for the rent of an Officer's Guard Room, near the Shandon Guard; *It.*, £13 13*s.* to Francis Johnson, High Constable, paid by him for the preservation of the public peace during the alarm in this country.

This Board having taken into consideration the uncommon dangers to which Robert Harding, Esq., one of the late Sheriffs of this City was exposed, and which extended to a conspiracy against his life in consequence of his indefatigable exertions in discovering plots which were meditated for the distruction of this City, and his very strenuous and effectual endeavours to preserve the public peace, and being therefore of opinion that he is entitled to some distinguished mark of public favour, ordered, that the Mayor, the late Mayor, the Sheriffs, Ald. Shaw, and the C. S., with six gentlemen chosen in the C. D. H., be a committee to purchase and present Doctor Harding with a piece of plate, not to exceed 100 guineas. *It.*, 6 guineas to the Serjeants at Mace for serving the Council summonses last year.

That Charles Vereker, Esq., M.P. for the City of Limerick, Col. of the City of Limerick Militia, and eldest son of Thomas Vereker, Esq.; Lieut.-Gen. Gerard Lake, Com.-in-chief of the Southern District, now in this City, be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, as a testimony of the high service this Board entertains for his eminent services rendered to this kingdom; also, John Bennett, Esq., eldest son of the Hon. Judge Bennett; William Jones, Jun., Esq., Capt. 5th Reg. of Dragoon Guards, eldest son of William Jones, Esq., Town Clerk; George Rye, of Ryemount, Esq.; Samuel Swete, of Kilglass, Esq.; Henry Wallis, of Maryboro', Esq., and Robert Parker Parker, of Carrigrohan, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Lane and Jones; Aldeu. Lawton, Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Sir V. Pick, Berry; Mr. Pope, C. S., and Westropp.

20 *Nov.*, 1798.

Ordered, that the trees lately blown down on the Red House Walk be sold by public auction, and the money applied in the repair and improvements of said walk in such manner as the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Sir Saml.

Rowland and Ald. Lucas shall think most useful. *It.*, That the trees on the Red House Walk be inspected by the above Committee, and that they have such trees as they shall find necessary headed, and that the heading shall be sold and the produce applied in repairing and improving the Walk, as shall be thought most useful and ornamental.

It., that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S., Mr. Westropp, and Busteed be a committee to inspect the several Guard Houses, that they be empowered to order such small works as are necessary, and advertise for proposals for executing the remainder of the work; *It.*, £15 8*s.* 9*d.* to Richard Shinnick for the rent of an Officers' Guard Room for 26 weeks; *It.*, £8 2*s.* 8½*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh, for different charges; *It.*, £28 11*s.* 8*d.* to Thomas White, stationer, his account from 23 June, 1796, to 9 Nov., 1798; *It.*, £100 to Saml. Hobbs, joiner, towards payment of his account; *It.*, £20 to the Mayor to purchase a Carpet for the Mansion House.

That Robert Laryford Besnard, gent.; Thomas Townsend, Esq.; and Thomas Barter, of Cooldaniel, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Jones; Aldcn. Owgan, Lucas; Burgess Busteed, Westropp, and the C. S.

2 *Jan.*, 1799.

Ordered, that £15 12*s.* 10½*d.* be paid Michael Roberts Westropp, Esq., for the repairs of the different Guard Houses, &c.; *It.*, £53 1*s.* 7*d.* to the late Mayor, expended by him in the repairs of Blackrock Castle and offices; *It.*, £9 3*s.* 8½*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh for different purposes at the Mansion House; *It.*, a pension of £20 *per annum* to Ellen Harris, widow of the late Ald. Harris; *It.*, that the estimate of Joseph Howell, amounting to £11, for repairing the North Shambles, and that of John Smith for repairing South Shambles £11 7*s.* 6*d.*, this day laid before this Board be approved of, and executed under the inspection of the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., and Mr. Westropp; *It.*, £2 16*s.* 10½*d.* to James Mara, mason, for repairing the chimneys of the Guard House in Tuckey Street.

That Alexander Jack, gent., eldest son of George Jack, gent., be admitted a freeman at large.

It., That the different gangs of Coal Porters be badged and registered; *It.*, that the present Mayor, Sherriffs, and C. S. do transmit the Corporation Subscription for the defence of the Country to Government.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Lawton, Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Puxley, Shaw, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Westropp, Bousfield, Leycester, and Pope, C. S.

5 *Jan.*, 1799.

A most respectable deputation of the Freemen at large having this day waited on the Mayor and Council, praying, that they might take under their consideration the expediency of an Union between the two kingdoms Great Britain and Ireland, as the most certain means of restoring internal tranquility and defending us from all future hostile attempts of our inveterate foes, aided and encouraged by the Treachery and Rebellious Machinations of many of His Majesty's deluded and ill-disposed subjects within the realm. The Council after giving the subject their most serious consideration, have come to the following resolutions, *viz.*,

Resolved, that we conceive an Union between Great Britain and Ireland, grounded upon just and equitable terms, will be the most effectual and decisive means of establishing and preserving the Peace and Prosperity of this kingdom.

Resolved, that we have formed our opinion on the fullest confidence in the wisdom of Parliament, that the general welfare of the kingdom shall form a basis in the arrangement of this important question, and that the principles of the Constitution, the commercial, manufacturing, and landed interests will be protected and preserved.

We therefore conceive the most dignified mode that can be adopted in so important a subject will be, by an humble and dutiful address to his Majesty from the Mayor, Sheriffs, Common Council, and Commonalty in Court of Doyer Hundred assembled, and the Sheriffs, Sir Saml. Rowland, Ald. Puxley, Ald. Shaw, and Mr. Leycester, or any three of them, are hereby appointed a committee to join with a committee of the Court of Doyer Hundred, to prepare a suitable address, should the mode above suggested meet the approbation of that Court.

Present—Mr. Mayor, Sheriffs Jones and Lane; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Rowland, Puxley, Shaw, Lucas, Pick; Burgesses Westropp, Leycester, Busteed, and the Common Speaker.

16 *April*, 1799.

Thomas Fuller was sworn a member of the Council.

Ordered, that the Bond passed to Hans Stewart, Esq., for £400 be taken up, and a bond for £300, and another for £100, with interest at 6 *per cent.*, be passed, the £300 bond payable to said H. Stewart, and the £100 to Mrs. Eliz. Smith; *It.*, £4 8*s.* 6*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh for postage of letters to the Mayor, &c., paid by him at the Mansion House; *It.*, 2 guineas to said Kinselagh, paid by him in advance to Mr. Maturin for the Dublin News Paper for the Mayor; *It.*, 4 guineas to Ald. Owgan, a year's rent for the Coach House held with the Mansion House; *It.*, £71 4*s.* 7*d.* to George Barber for coals furnished the different Guard Houses; *It.*, £10 18*s.* 0½*d.* to said Barber for candles for the Guard Houses; *It.*, £5 19*s.* 8½*d.* to Sher. Jones for repairs, &c., to the Guard House in Tuckey Street; *It.*, 10 guineas to John Fitz Gerald, half year's sallary for ascertaining the average prices of Corn and Oats to strike the Assize of bread; *It.*, that a quantity not exceeding 100 barrels of Coals be bought, under the direction of the Mayor, for the Corporation; *It.*, £39 15*s.* 8½*d.* to Messrs. Terry and Williams for work done from Aug., 1798, to April, 1799; *It.*, £30 to Jonathan Davis, ironmonger, his account; *It.*, £50 9*s.* 5*d.* to James and Henry Knight for printing work; *It.*, £26 3*s.* 9½*d.* to Will. Flyn, printer, his account from 4 Oct., 1798, to 25 Mar., 1799; *It.*, £28 7*s.* 0½*d.* to Edward Henry Morgan for printing work from 27 Jan., 1798, to 9 Jan., 1799.

The very great increase in the expense of printing has made this Board think it necessary to resolve, "That all advertisements, &c., shall in future be published but in one Newspaper at a time, and that the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Sir Saml. Rowland, Ald. Shaw and Mr. Busteed be a committee to carry this resolution into effect; *It.*, £50 to Will. Flaherty, mason, his account.

That Wm. Cape, of Dublin, Esq., be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box, in testimony of the high sense this Board entertains of his exertions to discover and bring to light a horrid conspiracy formed to destroy this kingdom; also the Rev. Wm. O'Connor, of Dublin, Clk.; Rev. John Lombard, of Harriet Ville, Clk.; Will. Maunsell, gent., Atty.-at-Law (now of Limerick); and Ferdinand Litchfield, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldcn. Owgan, Kellett, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Westropp, Busteed, Fuller, and Pope, C. S.

5 *June*, 1799.

Whereas 2088 Globe Lamps have been erected within this City and Suburbs, and it is the opinion of this Board that an additional number of 100 lamps shall be erected therein, we, the Mayor, &c., do fix 2188 Globe Lamps as necessary for said City and Suburbs, said lamps to have a head constructed to give free air, so that the light shall burn clear, to be lighted on 1 July next, and continue lighted from sunrise to sunset, for a term of three years, &c., and we fix the yearly sum of £1 8*s*. 6*d*. a lamp for erecting, lighting, &c., and we appoint William Alexander to receive from William Bell, late lamp contractor, the Globe lamps, Lamp Irons, and Posts of the Parishes of S. Ann Shandon, S. Mary Shandon, and S. Peter, and we also appoint William Stevens and Francis Johnson to receive from said William Bell the Lamps, Lamp Irons, and posts of the Parishes of the Holy Trinity, S. Paul's, S. Nicholas, and S. Fin Baries.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alde^n^. Sir S. Rowland, Owgan, Thompson, Lucas; Burgesses Westropp, Busteed, Leycester, Fuller, and C. S.

21 *June*, 1799.

We think the sum of £500 a reasonable sum for the Lamp Contractors to enter into security for the faithful execution of their duty, and we approve of Andrew Drinan, merch^t^., and William Stephens, Jun., chandler, as security for Francis Johnson, Esq., and William Stephens, glazier; and we approve of Will. Alexander, Jun., and Will. Robt. Adams, merch^t^., as security for William Alexander, Linen draper.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alde^n^. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Thompson, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Busteed, Leycester, and Pope, C. S.

17 *July*, 1799.

Ordered, that all persons employed in the Carriage of Coals within this City and Suburbs after 31 July inst., shall on or before that day register his name with the Mayor, from whom he will receive a Badge with a number thereon, which shall be conspicuously worn at all times when such person shall be employed, and every such person shall on demand produce such badge, and permit the number to be taken, and any person who shall be employed in the Carriage of coal, without wearing such badge, exposed

to public view, shall, if he has been badged, be on complaint dismissed, and never afterwards licensed by the Mayor, who shall be empowered on any well founded complaint to dismiss any person who shall be so badged; *It.*, that if any person so employed shall purchase any quantity of coal at any of the coal yards, on proof thereof before the Mayor, he shall be dismissed; *It.*, that the number of Coal Measures for this City shall not exceed sixty, and that no person shall be appointed a measurer but a real working man, nor shall any measurer be at liberty to employ any other to act in his stead, unless such measurer be disqualified by age or infirmity, otherwise he be dismissed.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldᵉⁿ. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Lucas, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Lane, C. S.

23 *July*, 1799.

Ordered, that £50 be paid Samᵗ. Hobbs, carpenter, on account; *It.*, £37 4*s.* 7*d.* to Will. Flaherty, mason, his account; *It.*, £23 15*s.* 1½*d.* to Andrew Edwards, printer and stationer, in full for his account; *It.*, £90 7*s.* 4*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, their account; *It.*, £71 12*s.* 6*d.* to Wᵐ. Jones, Town Clerk, business done; *It.*, £7 19*s.* 3*d.* to the Mayor, for Newspapers, &c.; *It.*, £6 1*s.* 7½*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh, expenses at the Mansion House; *It*, £4 17*s.* 6*d.* to Robᵗ. Patterson, Dep. Water Bailiff, expenses of sending several soldiers wives to England who were left an incumbrance on the town; *It.*, £9 16*s.* 3*d.* to Messrs. Bennett and Lucas, for medicines and attendance on the Boys in the Blue Coat Hospital; *It.*, £30 13*s.* 1*d.* to Jonathan Smith, Ironmonger; *It.*, £6 18*s.* 9*d.* to George Barber, his account; *It.*, £9 15*s.* to Philip Purcell, for necessaries furnished for the Corporation; *It.*, that the Mayor do receive proposals from the different Printers for executing all printing work of the Corporation by contract for three years, to include the assize of Bread, all advertisements, &c., which have been usually inserted in the News Papers, or which shall be ordered to be printed, &c., and all stamp duty, and every other duty, and also the newspapers printed by the contractor.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs, Mayor Elect; Aldᵉⁿ. Shaw, Thompson, Lucas, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Leycester, and Lane, C. S.

30 *July*, 1799.

Ordered, that a Deputation from this Corporation be sent to meet the Lord-Lieut. and invite him to dine with the Mayor and Corporation at the Mansion House, on such day as His Excell. shall appoint, and that the Sheriffs and Town Clerk be a deputation.

That the Rt. Hon. Lord Brome, son of His Excell. the Lord-Lieut., be presented with his freedom in a Silver Box; also, Lieut.-Col. Littlehales, private sec. to Lord-Lieut., in a Silver Box. In consideration of the distinguished merit of our townsman, Mr. Will. Cotter, whose abilities have raised him to be a Fellow of the University of Dublin, ordered, that said William Cotter be admitted a freeman at large. Rich^d. Beare, Esq., Capt. City of Corke Militia. James Lane, clothier, having served Richard Lane; Richard Lane, Jun., having served Rich^d. Lane; Robert Pratt, gent., eldest son of the Rev^d. James Pratt; Saml. Merrick, gent., having served Benj. Swayne, Atty.-at-Law; Mr. Robert McClure, at the request of the Mayor; William Dore, Esq., at the request of Mr. Sher. Jones, be admitted freemen at large.

It., 3 guineas to Edwd. Westcomb, Exchange Keeper, half a year's Salary, and £1 3*s.* 3*d.* the amount of his account; *It.*, 12 guineas to John Fitz Gerald, half a year's Salary for calculating the price of wheat and grain, to fix the assize of Bread, and return to Government; *It.*, that said Fitz Gerald do furnish his account quarterly, and with it a correct list of the calculation of the assize the preceeding quarter, with his remarks thereon.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Sir Saml. Rowland, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas, Sir V. Pick; Mr. Fuller and Lane, C. S.

23 *Aug.*, 1799.

The order of 17 July last, respecting the Badging of the Coal Porters is hereby confirmed and extended to 2 Sep. next., after which day if any person shall work as a coal porter without having such Badge he shall forfeit 5*s.*, to be recovered before the Mayor or any of the Aldermen, or in default one week's imprisonment in the Bridewell; *It.*, £172 2*s.* 5*d.* to the Mayor, expenses of waiting on and entertaining the Lord-Lieut.

Present—Mr. Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Owgan, Kellett, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas; Burgesses Busteed, Westropp, and Lane, C. S.

13 *Sep.*, 1799.

Ordered, that the tolls called Anchorage and Ballast, and other dues from Ships and Vessels coming to this Harbour be set together or seperately, from the Monday next after 29 Sep., 1799, to Monday next after 29 Sep., 1800, by sealed proposals; *It.*, that a posting be put up in the Exchange, for electing a Waterbailiff for ensuing year, at a salary of £60; *It.*, that one half the above Tolls be expended in cleaning and improving the harbour; *It.*, £6 2*s.* 9*d.* to Mr. Sheriff Lane, paid by him in cleaning the sewer at the Guard House; *It.*, that the three bonds payable to the Minister and Church Warden of the Parish of S. Peter, dated 8 Dec., 1740, for £160, another for £130, dated 5 Dec., 1745, and a third for £25, dated 16 April, 1725, be taken up, and a bond for the principal sum of £315 be passed to John Forster, Esq., who has advanced said sum at 6 *per cent.*; *It.*, £14 15*s.* 9*d.* to Mary Shinnick, adm^rx. of Richard Shinnick, for the Officers' Guard Room; *It.*, £16 5*s.* 4*d.* to Messrs. Terry and Williams, their account, from 3 May, 1799, to 23 Aug., 1799; *It.*, £32 19*s.* 10*d.* to Anthony Edwards, printer and stationer, his account.

That Nicholas Foord Lane, gent., brother of Mr. Sheriff Lane, and at his request; Rev^d. Thomas Dix Hincks, in consideration of his very great exertions in establishing a Society for bettering the condition of the poor, which is likely to prove of great benefit to this City; Lieut. William Fuller, I. Royal Artillery, son of Burgess Fuller; James Bonwell Church, mercht., having served John Church; John Travers, Esq., of Garrycloyne, eldest son of John Travers, of *do.*, Esq.; Thomas Deane, gent., having served Peter Deane, *do.*; Julius Cæsar Besnard, gent., having served Thomas Pope, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

It., £7 16*s.* to James Hoyland, for knives and forks for the Mansion House.

Present—The Mayor, the Mayor Elect; Sher. Lane and Jones; Ald^en. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Puxley, and C. S.

20 *Sep.*, 1799.

Ordered, that six dozen new Mahogany Chairs be purchased by the Mayor Elect, for the Mansion House; *It.*, £43 1*s.* 10*d.* to Edward Morgan, printer, in full for printing work from 29 Jan., 1799, to 2 Sep., 1799; *It.*,

£33 8*s.* 1½*d.* to James and Henry Knight, for printing work from 6 April, 1799, to 17 Sep., 1799; *It.*, £6 14*s.* 3½*d.* to Anthony Edwards, stationer, his account; *It.*, £32 19*s.* 5*d.* to Wm. Jones, Town Clerk, his account.

Note.—A Committee was appointed in order to bring the Establishment of the Corporation to as near a certainty as possible, and having examined the Corporation Books and accounts for seven years, have reported that £75 a year will be a reasonable sum to contract for all printing work to be in future done for three years, and £68 5*s.* to be paid to the Town Clerk yearly for the business usually done by him, any increase of stamp duty to be added to the above; *It.*, £163 4*s.* 9½*d.* to William Lumley, Esq., for candles for the Guard Houses, from 15 Nov., 1794, to 20 Nov., 1798; *It.*, £19 10*s.* 7*d.* to Will. Flaherty, mason, his account; *It.*, 6 guineas to the Sargeants at Mace, for summoning the Council for the present year; *It.*, 16*s.* 3*d.* to James Ullington, for repairing the Mansion House Clock; *It.*, that a guinea be paid for engraving a Copper-plate for the use of the Mansion House.

Present—The Mayor, Abraham Lane and Isaac Jones, Sheriffs; Saml. Rowland, Michl. Busteed, Will. Lane, C. S.

26 *Sep.*, 1799.

Ordered, that a Proclamation in the name of the Mayor, &c., be issued, for the purpose of having the public Coal yards supplied with the quantity of coals now necessary, being 4000 barrels; *It.*, £17 14*s.* 10*d.* to the Mayor, expended by him at the Mansion House; *It.*, £3 10*s.* 8*d.* to Mr. Kinselagh, for postage, &c., paid by him at the Mansion House.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Aldn. Sir S. Rowland, the Mayor Elect, Ald. Thompson; Mr. Busteed, and Lane, C. S.

2 *Nov.*, 1799.

Michael Busteed, Esq., Mayor.

Ordered, that a pension of £10 a year be paid to Mrs. Hannah Orpen, widow of the late Burgess Orpen.

John Fitz Gerald having returned his Quarterly Report to this Board, ordered, that he be paid 6 guineas, a quarter's salary, due to him for cal-

culating the price of wheat and grain, to fix the assize of Bread, and return to Government.

It., that no address from this Board to any Lord-Lieutenant shall in future be presented without being previously revised and approved of by the Council at large, or a Committee specially appointed by them for such purpose, an instance having recently happened rendering the present resolution necessary to guard against a similar matter ever occurring again.

Present—The Mayor, Thomas Pope and Rich^{d}. Digby, Sheriffs; Sir Saml. Rowland; Ald^{en}. Owgan, Thompson, Shaw; Mr. Westropp, Bousfield, Leycester, and Lane, C. S.

13 *Nov.*, 1799.

Ordered, that a posting be put up in the Exchange, for electing a Coroner in the room of Edmond Roche Kinselagh, Esq., *dec.*; *It.*, that a posting be put up on the Exchange for electing a Sword Bearer in the room of said Kinselagh; *It.*, that a salary of 20 guineas a year be paid to the person to be elected Sword Bearer; *It.*, that a pension of £10 be paid to Mrs. Phœbe Lane, widow of the late Burg. Will. Lane.

That William Busteed, mercht., eldest son of the Mayor; John Dowman Jun., eldest son of John Dowman, mercht.; John Bradshaw, eldest son of Robert Bradshaw, cooper; John Whitford, stone carver, eldest son of John Whitford, cooper; Will. Wilkinson, eldest son of Thos. Wilkinson, cooper; Henry Parr Browne, eldest son of Thos. Browne, cooper; Christ^{r}. Allen, gent., eldest son of Christ^{r}. Allen, Burg.; Thomas Oliver, gent., eldest son of Thomas Oliver; George Tuthill Villers, Esq., eldest son of George Villers, Esq.; Rev^{d}. John Quarry, Clk., eldest son of Michæl Quarry, cotton manufacturer; Thomas Wall Hewett, Esq., eldest son of Rev^{d}. Charles Hewett, Clk.; James Warner, silversmith, eldest son of John Warner, *do.*; John Barter, gent., eldest son of Thomas Barter, Esq.; Alex^{r}. Walker, mercht., eldest son of Thomas Walker, distiller; David La Touche, Esq., Col. Carlow Militia, eldest son of Rt. Hon. David La Touche; Ralph Crispin, clothier, having served Thomas Moloney, *do.*; Carleton Burne, woollen draper, having served Joseph Harrison, *do.*; William Connor, Esq., eldest son of Major Will. Connor, of the City of Corke Militia; Christ. Lloyd, having served Danl. Knight, grocer; William Jameson, mercht., having served Edward Jameson; William Osborne Gregg, eldest son of

Thomas Gregg, Atty.-at-Law; Atwell Burchfield, having served Danl. Harris, cordwainer; Henry Massy, tallow chandler, having served John and Joseph Godwin; William White, cooper, having served his father James White, *do.*; Francis Walker, mercht., having served John Anderson, mercht.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Sir Saml. Rowland; Aldcn. Shaw, Thompson, Bennett; Mr. Bousfield, Leycester, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

18 *Dec.*, 1799.

Resolved, that it is the opinion of this Board that such of the Bakers of this City, who shall refuse or omit baking bread agreeable to the directions of the Lord-Lieut. and P. C., shall have their licences withdrawn and not again be licenced to bake in this City.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Pope; Aldcn. Swete, Kellet, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Thompson, Lucas; Mr. Bousfield, and Lane, C. S.

24 *Jan.*, 1800.

Ordered, that £31 6*s.* 6½*d.* be paid to the Mayor, for Window Tax, Hearth Money, and other rates for Mansion House; *It.*, £1 15*s.* 8½*d.* to the Mayor, the expenses attending the sale of Bread baked in the Public Ovens; *It.*, 4 guineas to Thos. Owgan, Esq., a year's rent due to Ald. Owgan; *It.*, £16 4*s.* 5½*d.* to Mr. Will. Clark, loss and charges attending the purchase and sale of a quantity of oatmeal bought and sold for the use of the poor in 1798; *It.*, 6 guineas to John Fitz Gerald, a quarter's salary; *It.*, that George Barber buy 100 barrels of coals; *It.*, 2 guineas to the Mayor, for shoes for the Bellmen.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Digby; Aldcn. Owgan, Sir S. Rowland, Shaw, Thompson, Bennett, Puxley, and Mr. Lane, C. S.

28 *March*, 1800.

Mr. Thomas Harding, Jun., sworn.

Ordered, that £5 13*s.* 9*d.* be paid Messrs. Shaw and Evanson for clothing for Thomas Burke; *It.*, that a pension of £15 a year be paid Mrs. Rachel Fuller, widow of the late Burgess Fuller; *It.*, 5 guineas to Sher. Digby, paid by him for the public use; *It.*, £90 to Saml. Cox, cabinet maker, for

6 dozen mahogany chairs for the Mansion House; *It.*, that 50 guineas be subscribed by the Mayor in the name of this Corporation, to the fund for making good the deficiency which may arise on oatmeal contracted for by the Mayor and the Committee for the benefit of the inhabitants of this City; *It.*, £8 15*s.* 6½*d.* to Francis Johnson, Esq., expenses of the Guard to protect the peace at Corke fair last; *It.*, £50 to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, on account; *It.*, £37 10*s.* to James and Henry Knight, printers, half a year's printing work done by contract; *It.*, £1 11*s.* 5*d.* due to said J. and H. Knight at the beginning of the contract; *It.*, £7 7*s.* 10½*d.*, costs of preparing and posting orders of Council in the Coffee House for six years, pursuant to the resolution of the C. D. H.

It., that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S. do contract for a thorough repair of the Potatoe Market, the sum not to exceed £55, to be paid when the work is done; *It.*, £34 2*s.* 6*d.* to W. Jones, Town Clerk, for half a year's business done; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S. do contract for a thorough repair of the South Milk Market, the sum not to exceed 30 guineas, to be paid when the work is done; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S. do contract for repairing the Bandle Cloth Market, the sum not to exceed 10 guineas, to be paid when the work is done; *It.*, £50 to the Committee for bettering the condition of the poor, towards the fund for relieving the industrious by providing soup and straw.

That William Norris Hodder, Esq., second son of George Hodder, Esq., of Fountainstown, at the request of the Mayor; Edward Hart Hopper, merch^t., at the request of Sher. Pope; Richard Wright, Esq., Collector of Baltimore, at the request of Sheriff Digby; Richard Tooker, Esq.; William Dickson, Esq.; William Smith, gent.; John Hyde, of Cregg, Esq.; Joshua Beasly, cooper; and Robert Shaw, of Dublin, Esq., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Ald^en. Thompson; Mr. Westropp, Harding, and Lane, C. S.

26 *May*, 1800.

Ordered, that an address from this Board to our most gracious King, on his late providential escape, be prepared, as also an address to His Excell. the Lord Lieut., praying him to transmit said address, the committee to consist of the following members, Sir Saml. Rowland, John Shaw, John

Thompson, Tho. Harding, Esq., and Mr. Sheriff Pope, and the same Committee having retired, prepared the following address, which was approved of,

Most Gracious Sovereign—"We, your Majestie's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Corke in Council assembled. Impressed with the deepest sense of honour, when we reflect that the Earth teemed with a monster capable of raising his Arm against the sacred person of a Sovereign, so justly beloved and revered, who reigns in the hearts of his people.

"On so awful an occasion we feel truly anxious to unite with every other good subject throughout your Majestie's dominions, in expressing our most joyful congratulations on the happy and providential escape your Majesty has had from the murderous attempt of so execrable an assassin.

"We offer up our most devout and unceasing thanksgiving to the Supreme dispenser of all earthly happiness, for his merciful interposition in preserving a life so valuable and on which the welfare of millions depends.

"May that Gracious God still continue to protect and shield your Majesty in the hour of danger, from all traterous conspiracies, and may your life be prolonged to the latest period, that in the ordinary course of nature is allotted to any human being, and when accomplished, may perfect and permanent happiness await you in a future state as a reward for a most exemplary and virtuous discharge of every duty that could endear your Majesty to the ardent love and affection of all your faithful subjects."

To His Excellency Charles Marquis Cornwallis, Lord-Lieut., Gen., and Gen. Gov. of Ireland.

The address of the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Corke.

May it Please your Excellency.

"We, his Majestie's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of this City of Corke in Council assembled, congratulate your Excellency on his Majestie's most happy and providential escape from assassination."

"We beg leave to transmit to your Excellency an address to our most Gracious Sovereign, which we humbly request you will be pleased to take the earliest opportunity of forwarding to Great Britain, to be laid before his Majesty."

Ordered, that the foregoing addresses be signed by the several members of the Council and be forwarded by the Mayor to our Recorder, the Rt. Hon. Lord Carleton, to be by him presented to the Lord Lieutenant.

Present—The Mayor and Sheriffs; Alden. Sir S. Rowland, Kellett, Thompson, Shaw, Bennett; Mr. Westropp, Leycester, and Harding, and C. S.

2 *July*, 1800.

Ordered, that £50 be paid to Hans Stewart, Esq., on account of the bond due to him from the Corporation; *It.*, 3 guineas to David Hiffernan, ballance due for repairing the Bandle Cloth Market; *It.*, £31 9*s.* 8*d.* to Henry Seymour, Dep. Waterbailiff, one half the expenses of repairing the Spits, the other half to be paid by the Committee.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Pope; Alden. Swete, Sir S. Rowland, Thompson, Lucas, Bennett, Mr. Westropp, and Lane, C. S.

13 *Aug.*, 1800.

The Common Speaker sworn to keep the secrets of the Council and Mr. Day sworn a Council man.

Ordered, that £194 5*s.* 3*d.* be paid the Mayor for bounties paid by him on 1008 Tons of Potatoes, from 12 Feb. last to 13 Aug., inst.; *It.*, £82 8*s.* 1*d.* to Messrs. Shaw and Evanson, for clothing for the Sargeants' bailiffs, Exchange Porter, and Bellmen; *It.*, £3 0*s.* 5*d.* to Wm. Ryan, mason, work done by order of the Mayor and Sheriffs; *It.*, 12 guineas to John Fitz Gerald for calculating the price of wheat and grain to fix the Assize of bread, and to return to the Government for six months ending 29 June last; *It.*, 2 guineas to John Fitz Gerald for copying different addresses, &c., for the Mayor and Corporation; *It.*, that an advertisement be published, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S. will receive proposals for repairing the breaches in the roof of the Corn Market, and also repairing Blackpool Guardhouse; *It.*, £7 1*s.* 4*d.* to John Hawkes, Chandler, for candles for illuminating the Mansion House last year; *It.*, £7 3*s.* 3*d.* to William Alexander, for the expenses of a guard at the Fair; *It.*, £50 14*s.* 8*d.* to Nicholas George Seymour, pewterer, his account from 2 July, 1796, to 4 Nov., 1799; *It.*, £25 1*s.* 8*d.* to Jonathan Davis, smith, his account from 25 Sep., 1799, to 6 Aug. inst.; *It.*, £69 to John Newman, cooper, for 20 new Coal Barrels at £3 each, and 10 quarter Coal Barrels at 18*s.* each; *It.*, £7 15*s.* to George

Barber for 20 Barrels of Coals bought by him; *It.*, that 200 barrels of Coals be bought by George Barber for the Corporation.

That John Smith, Esq., of Rathcourcy; Anthony Mann, Esq., Doctor of Physic; Rev^d. Nicholas Dunscombe, Clk; Will. Lucas, apothecary; William Kellock, merch^t.; Rev^d. Doctor Gardner, Minister of the Octagon Church, Bath, be admitted freemen at Large.

Present—The Mayor, Sher. Digby and Pope; Ald^en. Thompson, Lucas, Bennett, Shaw, Sir S. Rowland; Mr. Leycester, Day, Newsom, C. S., the Mayor Elect, and Mr. Harding.

5 *Sep.*, 1800.

Ordered, that the Tolls called Anchorage and Ballast, and other dues from Ships, &c., be let (terms as before); *It.*, that half the above Tolls be paid to the Committee for cleaning and improving the harbour; *It.*, that a salary of £60 be paid the Waterbailiff, and that a posting be put on the Exchange for electing a Waterbailiff for one year; *It.*, £78 6*s.* 8½*d.* to Saml. Hobbs, carpenter, for work done from 4 June, 1799, to 30 May, 1800; *It.*, £21 11*s.* 6*d.* to George Barber, his account; *It.*, £16 3*s.* 8½*d.* to the Mayor for subscription to Newspapers, &c.; *It.*, £94 10*s.* 5½*d.* to Robert Reeves, Dublin Agent, for business done from June, 1796, to June, 1799; *It.*, that the Mayor, Sheriffs, and C. S. do contract for repairing the Corn Market, such contract not to exceed £46 14*s.*, to be paid when the work done is certified by George Barber; *It.*, 6 guineas to the Sergeants-at-Mace for summoning the Council for the present year; *It.*, that the following gentlemen be and are a Committee for procuring estimates for having the statue on the Grand Parade put into repair, and also for repairing the Exchange, namely, the Mayor, Sheriffs, C. S., Ald. Shaw and Thompson, Burg. Harding, Jun., and Mr. Jones; *It.*, £28 3*s.* 8*d.* to Anthony Edwards, stationer, his account from 2 Sep., 1799, to this day.

That Osborne Edward Barber, gent., eldest son of George Barber; William Purcell, Esq., eldest son of Pierce Purcell, of Altamira; Edmond Lombard, of Alworth, Co. Cork, eldest surviving son of Rev^d. Edmond Lombard, *dec.*; Henry Busteed, Lieut. North Cork Militia, eldest surviving son of Thomas Busteed, of Ballinrea; Major Gen. Charles Lennox, Col. 35 Reg. Foot; John Claudius Beresford, of Dublin, Esq.; Edward May, Esq., M.P., now in this City; John Foot, wine merchant; George Daunt, of Newboro', Esq.;

John Stewart, H. M. Solicitor General; George Newsom, of Liverpool, merch^t.; Joseph Rogers, Esq.; and Charles Ormsby, of Dublin, gent., be admitted freemen at large.

Present—The Mayor, and Sheriffs; Alden. Shaw, Thompson, Lucas, Sir V. Pick, Bennett; Mr. Leycester, Harding, and Newsom, C. S.

30 *Sep.*, 1800.

Ordered, that Robt. Patterson be Dep. Waterbailiff of the district of Corke; *It.*, Will. Cottrell, *do.*, for Passage, and Henry Seymour, *do.*, for Cove; *It.*, £37 10*s.* to Edward Henry Morgan for half a year's printing work done by contract, due 29 Sep.; *It.*, £34 2*s.* 6*d.* to Will. Jones, Town Clerk, half a year's business done; *It.*, 15*s.* 1*d.* to Edward Westcomb, Exchange Porter; *It.*, £97 10*s.* 2½*d.* to William Lumley for candles for Corporation from 7 Nov., 1798, to 27 Sep., 1800; *It.*, £9 3*s.* 0½*d.* to John Carthy, mason, for repairing the buttments of the North Bridge; *It.*, £4 12*s.* 8½*d.* to Robt. Patterson, expenses of sending soldiers' wives and others left behind after different embarkations to England; *It.*, £6 10*s.* 8*d.* to Philip Allen, Esq., Mayor Elect, for repairing the stable belonging to the Mansion House; *It.*, £7 1*s.* 4½*d.* to James and Henry Knight for printing work; *It.*, £7 8*s.* 3*d.* to the Mayor and Sheriffs Elect to repair the lower part of the Corn Market, under the inspection of George Barber; *It.*, £22 16*s.* 10½*d.* to Sheriff Pope, so much paid by him for the use of the Corporation.

In consequence of the active exertions of George Barber, and useful services, as well for the Corporation as the inhabitants of this City, this Board think it but justice to grant to the said George Barber a salary of 20 guineas a year; *It.*, £4 4*s.* 3*d.* to W. Jones, paid by him for the Corporation; *It.*, £32 14*s.* 10½*d.* to Jonathan Davis, Smith, for work done from 4 June, 1798, to 19 Sep., 1799.

That the Rev^d. Archdeacon Edward Day; Sir Thomas Leighton, Bart., M.P., now in this City (in a Silver Box); John Lees, Esq., Sec. to Gen. Post office, now in this City (in a Silver Box); Allen McLean, Esq., Sec. to the Commissioners of the Revenue of Ireland, now in this City (in a Silver Box); Robert Westropp, Esq., of Fort Anne, Co. Clare; William Bagwell, Esq., eldest son of John Bagwell, Esq.; Michæl Creagh, Esq., eldest son of

Arthur Gethin Creagh, Esq.; John Keily, Jun., Esq., eldest son of John Keily, Esq.; Hibernicus Scott, Esq., eldest son of Benjamin Scott, Esq.

Whereas, Kingsmill Berry, Esq., was appointed during the pleasure of this Board, Constable and Keeper of the Castle of Blackrock, and whereas said Berry has quitted this kingdom and gone to reside in England, and the Castle going quite to decay, It is therefore the pleasure of this Board that the appointment of said Kingsmill Berry as Constable and Keeper of said Castle shall cease, and it is Resolved, that the Mayor for the time being shall be and he is hereby appointed Constable and Keeper of the Castle of Blackrock during the pleasure of this Board.

That Thomas Barter, eldest son of Benjamin Barter, be admitted a freeman at large.

Present—Michæl Busteed, Mayor; Tho. Pope and Rich^d. Digby, Sheriffs; Phil. Allen, Mayor Elect; Saml. Rowland, John Shaw, John Thompson, Jasper Lucas, Phil Bennett, M. R. Westropp, Tho. Harding, Will. Leycester, John Day, John G. Newsom, C. S.

APPENDIX.—A.

INVENTORIES OF THE GOODS OF THE CITIZENS OF CORK, *temp.* EDWARD VI., MARY, AND ELIZ.

(*From an Ancient Episcopal Register.*)

Inventory of the Goods of William fz. Edmund Roche, drowned on his Voyage to Flanders, on the Vigil of S. Andrew, 29 Nov., 1547:

In his shop, different goods, value iii*li.* xis. vi*d.* Thomas Faggan brought from Flanders, in the name of said William, x*li.* xiis. iiii*d.* John Roche, his brother brought from England, with his own boat, which we sold for iiii*li.* xvs.; in skins, 3*li.* 5*s.*; in salt, 4*li.* 10*s.*; one brass dish, vis. viii*d.*; in pledges, the house of Master Skiddy, vi*li.* xiiis., as by indenture made by the Archdeacon and his brother, Mr. Patrick Roche; the rent of the same house in pledge for iii*li.* vis. viii*d.* Same Skiddy is also bound for iii*s.* vii*d.* A shop from Genet Goull and the sons of Walter Tyrry, in pledge for iii*li.* vis. viii*d.* Another house from Thomas Morroughe, in pledge for xiiis. iiii*d.* A coat of mail from Bryen McDonell and Hoyn McFegayn, in pledge for viiis. viii*d.*; from Ellena Gubbayn another coat of mail, in pledge for vis. x*d.* A silver cup in pledge from Nicholas Tyrry, for 26*s.* 8*d.*; received a gown, value 9*s.* 8*d.*, so there remains due on the cup 17*s.* Six pair of nets worth 16*s.* A cask of Spanish wine.

Inventory of the Goods of Patrick Ponche, Citizen of Corck, made 1 Feb., 1557:

One cup and a vessel called a tastor of silver; one brewing-pan, with its iron instrument called brandyron; another brazen pan, one service of brass, five candlesticks, one bason, six dishes of pewter, one pair of handyrons, one pair of brigons, three chests of workmens' tools, two vessels of pewter, five quarts, one pint; one table, certain warlike machines of iron called a gun, with twelve chambers which belong to them, an old brass brewing-pan, xviii bullogs, iii spillers, seven pair of nets, half...of... Edmond Hallorayn, a ship with its tackle, which sold for clxxxiv*li.* xiiis. iiii*d.* The house of David Quise in pledge for v*li.*; also, certain tackle of a ship called sails, one barrel of tar, two hogshead of salt, half of the

goods which Thomas Verdone holds, a quantity of old iron, and one small bark which sold for xxviiis.

Fynyn McCormyck [owes me] vii marks, Thomas Quyn, xls.

To John Browne [I owe] and Mr. Edmond Gowll, xii*li.* iiis. x*d.* To Christopher, the son of John, for the dowry of Katherine, daughter of Richard, xxix*li.* vis. viii*d.* To William Verdone, lx*li.* xiiis. viii*d.*

Inventory of the Goods of William Verdon, taken 3 March, 1567:

A tun hogshead of seck, and a pipe that is abroach; Six tuns of old Rochell wine, lacking fifty gallons; three hogsheads of old Gascoyne wine, being within these two years; nine pieces of Artillery, with their seventeen chambers; three hogsheads of salt, six kine, one hundred ship's planks, four anchors, a lighter, twenty gallons of aqua vitæ, six couple of old nets, a pound small silk, and four pounds big silk, being within this great time most part lost their colours; two pewter basons and two ewers, forty and seven pounds of new buttry, seven old crocks, and an old service, four small old brazen pans and a big pan, a caudron, xxviii pair of woollen cards, a new pewter pot, two new quarts and four pints, two new batry basons, two stones of hops, five old hand guns without their stocks, xvi*li.* of corne powder and ten pounds of gross powder, seven pair of points, a stone of aniseed; six yards of blue cloth, being cut with rats; three lawful dry hides and one small hide; iii small salt hides, half a pound of cinamon, half a pound of pepper, xxix bolts of iron for a ship, xxxiii planks for lofts; certain pulleys for a ship, certain slates, timber, stones, and martell; ii old pieces of harness, a mortar.

Robert Tyrry fz. Oliver's silver cup owes five hides and eight shillings in money. Thomas O'Hiarlihie's pledge owes xv hides. Philip Walter's silver cup owes iii*li.* current money of England. Mr. Stephen Coppinger's silver cup owes iii*li.* vs. viii*d.* old money, and vis. viii*d.* current money of England; besides vs. viii*d.* old money, to Pyirs Myaghe for a barrel of beer. Davy Galwey's crosses owe xxs. George Galwey's bead owes xxs. Davy Nashe's bead owes ixs. A small bead of Christopher Arthor's in pledge of iis. iv*d.* old money. Another of Donell Omirryhoire owes iis. old money. Two crosses of Donogh fz. William's wife in pledge of a lawful hide; two crosses of Genet Lombarde owes iiiis. 1*d.* old money; two spoons of James Russell in pledge of vs. v*d.* old money; two silver spoons of William Skyddy in pledge of vis.; two crosses of Richard Mathew, iiis. viii*d.* old money; iii crosses of Anne Lombard, iiis. ii*d.*, do. A bead of Richard Mathew, viis. vi*d.* A small cross and a small ring of Illuck Barret, vis. old money; two small crosses of Edmond Walsh, iiis. iv*d.*; three small crosses of Richard Daragan, iis. viii*d.* old money; a cross of Katheryn Tyrry, iiis. old money.

Goods beyond the Seas.—With Patrick Galwey, xxs.; with James Walsh, three stones of scrofe; with Philip Martell, two deckers, and four lawful hides, and five stones of old scrofe, lviii yards of broad and small fryl, and four bredyn mantells and a black mantell; with Thomas Monfield, ccxiiii of old metal, and xxxiis. current, that he oweth to said William.

Mr. Lavallyn left in Rochell four score banlays of white and black mantell frise, and forty banlays of small bredyns and three bredyn mantells, of which said Ver-

don's wife received the matter of xi*li.* James Galwey left iii tuns of Brasyll in Garnysey, which is yet unpaid.

Three silver cups, of which Andrew Galwey hath one in pledge or for a token; a taster of silver; a saltseller, gilded; a dozen of spoones, one of which is with Davy Tyrry as a token for John Morrough; six basons of battrye, six candlesticks, two pewter pots, three quarts, two pints, two big tables, two round tables, one banker, five crests, two bedsteads, three old beds, one of feathers the other of flax, two chairs, abyme, three stones and half lead, an old pewter bason and an ewer, a brazen pan and the services, three spits, six dishes, two porringers, two saweers, nine napkins or servetty for a table, a crock for aquavitæ, a rosteiron, the fourth of an acre of barley, a stang of wheat, and two pair of sheets.

First, the Counter owes xxvis. viii*d.* current; John Kanraghe, iiii*li.* xviiis., in England. Mr. Galwey, iii*li.* vi*d.* and xx*d.* old money. Davy Wallyn, viii*li.* viis. viii*d.* My Lord Barry More, ix*li.* Davy fz. William, mariner, vii*li.* xvis. viii*d.* James Browne fz. John, vi*li.* viis. iv*d.* James Walshe, mariner, ix*li.* Giles Clynser, v*li.* xs. vi*d.* Donyck Myaghe, ii*li.* Richard Barry, maryner, xxxs. Piris Gooll, two hides and three quarters. James Ronayn, xxs. old money, besides other small reckoning. Dominick Skyddy, xxixs. vii*d.* currant, and xiiis. iiii*d.* old money. Andrew Walsh, xxs., besides the old debts. Morris Shichan, of Kinsale, iii lawful hides. OwenMac Shihie, a hide and xiis.; Richard Ogh, horseman of Barrymores Country, iiis. x*d.* old money. Teige Rowe and Dermod Rowe, of Carigrowehan, a hide. John Kent, butcher, a hide. Arthour Skiddy, iiii hides and xvi*d.* Dermody Mac Teige Mac Cormygh, a beef. Edmond Martin and John Mac Donyghy, butcher, ii stones of tallow. Morris Matowe, a hide. Edmond Galwey, a hide. James Rossell, a hide and viiis. old money. Richard Dargan, butcher, a lawful hide. James Drady, a hide. William Dargan, butcher, a hide. Richard Miaghe, of Kinsale, xvis. viii*d.* and a lawful hide. Robert Tirry fz. Oliver, xxiiiis. Davy fz. John, the Treasurer's son, a hide. Pirris Goolle's hand is viis. ix*d.* Richard Fowller, of Dartmuod, xls. John Fagan, iis. viii*d.* old money. Patrick Tirry, Serjeant, a hide. Margaret Lavalyn, widow, vii hides and half. Edwarde O'Donyll, mariner, iis. ii*d.* old money. Robert Gowlle fz. Stephen, vs. ix*d.* old money. John Roche fz. Edmond, a hide. Edward Skiddy and John Lambert, ii hides, and iis. old money. John Drady, carpenter, xxvii planks of x feet long. Edmond bywe Winshedon, a lawful beef. Javan Nugent, the Nugent's daughter, ix*s.* old money. Olyver Owstoe, xs. Edward Skiddy, a hide. Donoghy Mac Dermydy, iis. x*d.* old money. Davy Condon, vii salmons. Master William Sarsfield, xxvs. vi*d.* Davy Galwey fz. George, iiiis. iiii*d.* Davy Carull, iiiis. iiii*d.* George Roche, iiiis. x*d.* Richard oge Virlinge and Thomas Virlinge, one bound for another, forty loft planks, more said Richard xx planks. Moris Roche fz. Richard's silver pledge, x*s.* Owen O'Donnell of Aghavartin, a gallon of honey. Edmond Sarsfild, vs. ix*d.* old money. Walter Morrogh fz. Thomas, xiiiis. viii*d.* The Power of Imockilly's wife, eight marks, to be paid in corn. Donyll Mac Teigh Mac Cormycke, vi milch kine and xxxiiiis. viii*d.* old money, and ii hides. Frances Tyrry and Mr. Barret, eight milch kine.

To Andrew Skiddy [I owe] 40*s.*, and he owes vii hides. To William Corbally, iiii*li.* under his own hand. To Mr. Harry Davills, four marks, as much of the money as he received of Mr. Stuckley. To Elline Pounche, xxivs. To Frances

Martell, xxviis. To Richard Lavalyn and Philip Martell, x crowns, of the sum that they lent him upon his departure when they meet with him in France. To Thomas Kyrin, xxs.

Inventory of the Goods of David Tyrry fz. Edmond, taken 13 March, 1570:

A standing cup, double gilt. A piece and a tastor worked under David's mark and arms. Seven spoons. Two pots or pans of brass. A service of brasnet. Three spits, and a pair of brygons. Nine platters, a poringer with two saweers. Five pewter cups, a laver and bason of pewter. Two buffyns of latyne. Six candlesticks of brass. A pewter pot, two quarts, two pints, a ink, a crosbow, a sword, three chests or coffers, a small coffer belonging to Anstas Walter. A pair of andyrons, a table, and a pair of trestles; a new Flanders table-cloth, a new Irish table-cloth, and an old Irish table-cloth; three towels and a towel of damask-work; six cadowes, three spits, a feather bed and six flax beds, two table bankers, a pipe, a hogshead of Spanish wine, and a milch cow.

Donell Mac Arte [owes] two milch kine; William Mac Shayn McCothir, iiiis. v*d.*; George Skyddy, for sugar, vis. old money; James, Lord Barrymore, iii milch kine; Wm. Kirttayn, vs. iiii*d.* old money.

To Edmond Tyrry [I owe] vi stones of flax; Stephen Walter, xvs.; John Walter, five hides; John Pounche, two hides; Mr. Andrew Galwey, vii*li.* vs. x*d.* old money; George Galwey, in ..... and in black kersey, xis. viii*d.*

With William Verdon [in pledge], a cross of silver. For George Skyddy, with Edmonde Gooll, a ring of gold. With Richard Pounche, for the exchange, a ring of gold of the ring that was given to Anstas Walter at the time of her wedlock. With Gerret Myaghe, the cover of James Roche's uncle in pledge of xs. With Andrew Galwey, a ring of gold.

Inventory of the Goods of Henry Verdon, Citizen of Corck, made 10 Sep., 1572:

Six silver cups, one with Mr. Charles, the other with Mr. David Tirrye fz. Oliver; viii spones of silver, a tastor of silver, iii spones in pledge, A butt of sack, vii milch kine, vi decker of deer hides, one hundred caulsells, ix couple of nets, a hogshead of salt; five hundred of iron, at is. vi*d.* the hundred. Two hundred and a half of black lambfels, xvii fox cases, iv otter skins, ii broke skins, an empty hogshead, i*lb.* ix*oz*½. of small silk, ii pound of big old black silk, iiii*oz.* pelly, ... of batry, a pawne of ii*li.* x*d.*, two good crossers, two old crossers, some powder, ii dozen deer horns, an old boat which is in Waterford, vi pair of woollen cards, x gallons of aquavitæ. Piers Goolde, xivs. iiii*d.*; there is fourteen reckoning betwixt him and Simon Morrough, a pawn in pledge for iii cow-hides, which remaineth in pledge with Nicholas Corbally. A silver spoon of Clement Skiddie, in pledge for xiii*d.* John Collane's nett, iiis. iv*d.* old money. O'Regane's net in pledge for xx*d.* old money. Brien McDonyll's Sallett oweth iiis. iiii*d.* A flaggon of Ellyn ny Moris, in pledge for xvi*d.* old money. The Lady Katryne ny McCartie oweth ii milch kine and a beef in OKyel's behalf, and two cow-hides. McFynyn McQueherynyne oweth ii beefs. John Teige oweth as appeareth by his book. David Martell oweth in like manner. Mahone O'Leyn oweth viiis. iiii*d.* old money. Phillip fz. Richard oweth xx*d.* old money. Phillip Tirrie, xivs.,

as his book mentioneth. Cormucke McTeige, Sheriff, ii beefes. Edmond Galwey and Morish Matthewe, as appereth by his book. Teige McDonyll McTeige, xiiis. John McTeige Yherckahy, a cow-hide and iiis. Edmond Martyne, surety for iis. vi*d.* Olde Robert Rioghe Brennagh, xs.; received a hide as iiis. old money. Richard Mathewe, surety for a cow-hide. Dermeth McTeige, vi*li.* xvis., and iii milch kine and a cow-hide. Dominycke O'Glascluce oweth the rest of his bill, xxviis. more for iiii deckers and one deer-hide, more for certain calfefells, ixs. McKare McDonill, ii*li.* viii*d.* old money; of this he paid the said deer-hide. William McThomas, xs. iiii*d.* and iii deer-hides. Edmond fz. William, a beef and four deer-hides; more, vs. vi*d.* old money. Owen oge Gayrye, iiii otter skins. James fz. Thomas, iiiis. vi*d.* Rikird McThomas, vs. iiii*d.*; more for a pound of powder, ii deer-hides. William O'Morochowe, a cow-hide. Richard O'Darygan, butcher, xxviiis. old money. David Galway, vs. and half a bushel of salt.

A brewing-pan, a big brazen pan, a small *do.*, a crock for aquavitæ, a martell, a dozen of pewter dishes, two porringers, two sawcers, iii pottle pots, four quart, iiii pints, half a pint, a puny pot, v basons, vi candlesticks, iii chairs, one feather bed, two old flock beds, one table, a bankeare, two table cloaths, half a dozen cussyns, an old cupboard.

Inventory of the goods of Daniel Conway, Citizen of Corck, bequeathed 8 Oct., 1574:

A goblet of silver parcel gilt, weight xvi*oz.* and a quarter, which goblet is from me in the hands of John Skyddy fz. Anthony of Corck, in pledge for xxs., said Donogh paying said sum and paying also to the Church for my burial xxs. A Crossbow and a dagger, Seven platters, Two porringers, Seven pewter and Six Candlesticks of brass; A pair of bedds, my hose, my greater chest and my capcase; a cloak, a dublet of canvas, a shirt, my sword and dagger, two hand guns, a crossbow and a dagger; working tools, a small chest, a blue coat and a felt, a cassock of black worsted.

Inventory of John Teige McCartie, of Corcke, Merchant, goods taken 23 Dec., 1577:

Two caples, thirty-five sheep, xi. hogs, a barn and a yard of Nicholas and Edmond Corbally for term of years, two brewing pans, a crock for distilling aquavitæ, and a service, some pewter pots, and one quart, two candlesticks; Morice Bethnaghe Fooker hath from me a candlestick with one great light, two whuches, and three coffers; one acre for term of years from Mr. John Galwey, another acre from the Prior of S. Stephens; a table board, a carpet, three mows in beans, barley, and a little wheat yet unthrashed. I have manured and sown this year, 1577, iii. or iiii. acres with beans, peas, and barley; I have a feather bed, two sheets, two caddowes, a great black mantel, a pair of Orchalfrice, containing 13 bandlats; with Nicholas White, taylor, an old cloak. I have park Hyernani, half an acre na Keny Cryhie, and three stangs Bele y Wohyr, a garden from my gossip John Copinger, and his heirs in mortgage; Philip Martell hath from me two spoones in pledge, Francis Martell's man a little spoon in pledge for x*d.*; David fz. Oliver Tyrry hath a platter from me, in pledge for a caples wages one day labouring. I owe to my cousin, Feilylymy McCartye, priest, some old debts, in recompence of which I will that my said executors pay to him or his attorney forty shillings old money; to Mr. John Golde, 44s.; to Maurice Roche fz. Richard

iii*li.* ; to John fz. Patrick Myaghe, ii barrels barley ; to the heir of William Verdon, for the great croft, some rents, the third part to be paid to Katherine Myaghe, widow ; to John Myaghe fz. Robert, vii pecks barley for John Galway, concerning some hides of William Philipins ; to James fz. William Cooke, xiiis. old money.

Inventory of the goods of Nicholas Faggan, of Corcke, Merchant, 26 March, 1578 :

One great brass pan, price 30*s.* ; four small pans, 50*s.* ; an old brewing pan, 30*s.* ; an aquavitæ pot, 30*s.* ; 12 platters of pewter, 8*s.* ; four pewter pots and two quart pots, 5*s.* ; 9 pewter trenchers, 2*s.* ; 6 porringers of pewter, xii*d.* ; one feather bed and three flock beds, 16*s.* ; three pair of sheets, 6*s.* ; four chests, 20*s.* ; one diaper table cloath and two old Irish table cloaths, 13*s.* 4*d.* ; a dozen table napkins, xvi*d.* ; two old hand towels, 4*d.*, four caddowes, xs. ; 18 cowhides, 4*li.* ; 32 stones of tallow, 32*s.* ; one stone of aniseed, 4*s.* ; 16 stones of French iron, 20*s.* ; two bolts of canvas, 20*s.* ; a dozen gold skins, 2*s.* ; two pipes of malt, xs. ; one barrel of wheat, 4*s.* ; a drower with her apparell, 40*s.* ; a cupboard, 3*s.* ; a dozen skulls, 12*s.* ; 2 carpets, xs. ; a black pwike gown faced with budg, 4*li.*, which gown the widow gave with a pair of hose to the testator's brother, John Faggan, another pwike gown, faced with damask, 2*li.* 13*s.* 4*d.* ; another black gown, 30*s.* ; a black satin doublet, 50*s.*, given by the widow to John Goul fz. Edmond ; a red taffita doublet, 30*s.* ; a pair of hose, 18*s.*, given by her also to Stephen Miaghe, brother-in-law of the testator. Sir Donogh McCartie, Knt., oweth said Nicholas 21*li.* ; To the Lord Coursey oweth 6*li.* ; McMorrish Kierry, baron of Licksnaw, 7*li.*, &c. To Robert Hide, free warde to the Lord President, I owe 2*li.* 11*s.* 10*d.*, for which I became surety ; to William Faggan, of Waterford, 3*li.* 4*d.* ; to Morrish Eustas, 9*li.* ; for impost, 3*li.* ; to William McPhilip, 18*s.* ; to William Connyll, 10*s.* 8*d.* ; to John Kierrane, 13*s.* 4*d.* ; to Christopher Miaghe, 7*s.* ; to John Mylaghylyne, 8*li.* ; to James Matthowe, 8*li.* ; to John Barry, 6*s.* 8*d.* ; to Anstas Helane, 3*li.* 4*s.* ; to Edmond Morroghe. 26*s.* 8*d.* ; to my brother, John Faggan, 8*li.* There remaineth a silver cup of the said John and another of my own in pledge from me, at Waterfoord, for 6*li.* 16*s.* : a pair of beads of silver, of the goods of William Barret, remaineth from me in pledge of 16*s.* ; a gold ring, pertaining to James Morrough, from me in pledge of 31*s.* Where I was troubled by Andrew Galwey, for money by me received in France, I take it upon my death, as I look to be saved, that I dealed justly and faithfully with the said Andrew therein, and that my conscience doth not, in any point, accuse me in that behalf.

Inventory of the goods of William Skiddie, made 1 April, 1578 :

Four table cloaths, eight pair of sheets, two dozen and half of napkins, four pound of comin, one pound of green silk, one pound of yellow silk, half a pound of red silk, half a pound of black silk, three quarters of a pound of saffron, thirtie dishes, sixteen porringers, two great chargers, seven pottle pots, two quarts, four drinking cups of tin, two dozen of trenchers, sixteen candlesticks, five brazen basons, v silver cups, a saltcellar with a dozen and half of spoons, four beds, three bolsters, six blankits, a pair of woollen cords, two carpets and a small carpet ; 400 *cwt.* iron, four spits, and one pair of brigons ; sixteen kine, small and great ; thirty sheep ; a brewing pan with its brandiron, a gridle with a trevet thereunto agreeable, a dozen barrels of salt, a pipe of Gascon wine.

Thomas of Desmond, Knt., oweth me xxviis. id.; Maurice McAuly, *als.* Coerkrie, a milch cow; McDonogho, three milch kine; John fz. Thomas Mason, xx barrels of lime; other debts I refer to my book.

I owe Donogh McDermod oge, a gossip of mine own, xii*li.* st.

Inventory of the goods of George Galwey fz. Edwarde, of Corcke, Ald., taken 2 Oct., 1578.

Three hundred Flanders and Roone batry, price xv*li.*; a ton and half of iron, 18*li.*; Three barrels of orchale, 12*li.*; nine deckers, great and small, cow-hides, 21*li.*; five dozen woollen cards, 2*li.*; Four deckers deer hides, 4*li.*; Eight stones of hops, 3*li.* 4*s.*; Ten stones of okom, 20*s.*; 30*li.* ster. in gold; 10*li.* ster. in money. Five score barrels of salt, 15*li.*; Three buts of Spanish wine, 27*li.*; Forty kine, 14 marks; eighteen candlesticks, 40*s.*; Two stones Aniseed, 40*s.*; one dozen pewter trenchards, 6*s.*; one dozen pewter dishes, 24*s.*; four brass pans, 10*li.*; a pair of handirons, 10*s.*; Three chests or coffers, 30*s.*; A silver salt, double gilt, 7*li.*; one silver cup, 3*li.*; Two goblets of silver parcel, gilt, 6*li.*; A tastor of Silver, 20*s.*; a dozen silver spoones, 3*li.*

Inventory of the debts due to Richard fz. James Ronan, of Kinsale, 1579.

John Roche owes me 35 cow-hides and twelve golden escus, in pledge of which I have a great and small silver cup, with its cover; Maurice Brenagh owes me 25 cow-hides and 5 other hides, which he received from others in my name; the same Maurice owes me five cow-hides, for which I have from him in pledge a silver cup. Dermitius O Heagerty owes me ten cow-hides, and Florence, *als.* Fynyn McCormac, owes me 33*s.* 4*d.* Patrick Myaghe owes me 30 cow-hides and half a hide, in pledge for which I have from him a silver cup and a little silver cup, gilt. Richard Myaghe owes me seven cow-hides, in pledge for which I have one small silver cup. Enyes Ottaghe owes me ten cow-hides, in pledge for which I have a large old dish and an old pot. Donaldus ny Veilaghe bound himself to me, for Philip fz. James Roche, for five cow hides.

Inventory of the Goods of Edmond fz. Nicholas, *als.* Frankaghe, made by himself last of Feb., 1580.

A pair of beads of silver, a silver cup, and a great cross of silver, in the custody of Piers oge McMasbine; in the keeping of said Piers, 21 great silver buttons, and certain small silver buttons, and 10 shillings old half-face money. In the custody of Patrick Bluett, of Youghal, a big brewing pan, and two small pans; certain spits or broches with their hooks or brigons, all of iron; a gridiron or roasting iron, three dung forks; said Patrick oweth me for a barrel of butter. I have with Edmond Barrett 25 milch kine, 8 plough garrans, a small pan, a flagon, a brandiron, a plowing iron, &c. I have 20 sheep with David fz. James, at Ballynacorry, two candlesticks of brass. The heirs of Burdenstown owe me two oxen. Dermod McDonell McWilliam oweth me three in-calf kyne, to be paid at St. Patrick's next to come, for which I delivered him a certain sum.

Inventory of the goods of Andrew Galwey, of Corcke, Ald., made 18 Nov., 1581.

Six tons of iron, three hundred batrye, two hogsheads allyme, two hundred

hops, ten or twelve tons of salt, a last of hides, little more or less; six pounds silk; a piece of broadcloth in colours, containing 30 yards; six dozen woollen cards: two barrels of orchale, half a gross of knives, with other small wares: as, hats, caps, and other trifles among my shop. Two tuns of wine; also 40 sheep and twelve kine.

Inventory of the goods of Maurice Roche fz. Edmonde, of Corcke, Ald., 1582:

An old brewing pan and an old crock, a brass pan and a service, two broches, a pair of briggons, a pair of andyrons, a little fryingpan; eight candlesticks of brass, and six pewter platters; six chests, three silver cups that Mr. Archdeacon Roche left with my three sons; a yallowe cup also, and a saltcellar of silver, three pewter pots, and three quart pots of pewter.

Inventory of the goods of Gennett Creaughe, of Corcke, widow, 1582:

Five silver spoones, two strings of jewels or crosses, two bushels of oats, four candlesticks of brass, three pecks of wheat, a bushel of barley malt, a morter of brass, two brazen basons, two black mantells, one stone of wool, two small pannes of new batry.

Inventory of the goods of Richard Walshe fz. John, of Corcke, merchant, 10 June, 1583:

George Gold hath in pledge from me a great crock, of one hundred and half weight, in pledge of 10*s.*; half-ace and a silver pair of beads, of nine score graven stones, in pledge of 20*s.*; and another pair of beads of chrystal and silver, in pledge of a noble halface.

Inventory of the Goods of Richard Tyrry fz. Adam, taken after his death 12 days, *viz.*, 26 April, 1582:

In gold and silver, 28 pounds ster.; five taffita hats, price 40*s.*; three pair of Jarnesey stockings, 18*s.* Shop goods: Eight yards and a quarter of purple bwffen, 20*s.*; 17 yards and a half of black bwffen, in two remnants, 40*s.*; 6 yards and half ashe-coloured bwffen, 16*s.*; 10 yards and half of tawny bwffen, 24*s.*; a piece of purple bwffen, containing 13 yards and half, 4 nobles; 3 papers of buttons, six dozen every paper, 30*s.*; 2 yards of flanyne kiersey, 10*s.*; a pound, a quarter, and two ounces of small dozen laces, four nobles; a pound and quarter of Spanish silk, 40*s.*; a whole piece of black fustian, 30*s.*; nine yards of black fustian, 20*s.*; 13 yards of yellow fustian, 26*s.*; 3 yards and half of black bays, 8*s.*; 13 yards and half of silk grogram, 3*li.* 8*s.*; 6 yards and half of silk grogram, 32*s.* 6*d.*; a piece of Turkey grogram, 15 yards and half, 3*li.* 16*s.*; two caps, 8*s.*; a box of combs, 16*d.*; 36 halfpenny combs, 18*d.*; 4 dozen points, 16*d.*; 13 painted boxes. . . . 25 quires of paper, vis. viii*d.*; 42 waste girdles, 8*s.*; 12 penny girdles, 12*d.*; 900 sheepfel, 5*li.* 14*s.*; 280 calf fell, 20*s.*; 3 decker deer hides, 3*li.*; with a few conyfell and some lambfell, black and grey, vs. With David Carrull, in Spain, 9 hides; in Edmonde Tyrrye's house, certain tallow in three barrels, four marks.

In pledge: three gold rings, a certain silver pawn, containing . . . pieces, in pledge of 140 sheepfell; two gold rings of Edmonde Tyrry, in pledge of six stones.

of tallow and 8*s.*; a pair of beads of Patrick Tyrry, in pledge of 20*s.*; two old pair of beads.

Dominick Galwey [owes me] 40*s.*; John Tyrry fz. Christopher, 9*s.*; James Tyrry fz. Patrick, 22*s.*; John Curtein, a stone and half of flax; Thomas Curtein, two stones of flax; Richard Morroughe, two dozen sheepfel; Collinge Barrett, xii*d.*

Inventory of the goods of Chrisr. Galwey, of Corcke, Ald., made 16 July, 1582:

Three lasts of cow-hides, lacking five hides; a ton pipe of iron, two tons of salt, one barrel of alleim, five hogsheads of white wine, ten hogsheads of wheat, three hogsheads of rye; in gold, 20*li.*; and in ready money, 24*li.* ster.

From David Barry's wife, a silver cup, in pawn of 3*li.*: from Patrick Gold fz. John, a silver cup, in pawn for 40*s.*; a silver cup, belonging to John oge Hodnet, which oweth nothing; a goblet for aquavitæ, belonging to myself; and a goblet with its cover, which my father left with me; a great silver salt, belonging to Mr. Galwey, in pledge; a small tastor of mine own; A big silver cup which I bought of Alexander Gogh; two silver cups, belonging to my brethren Stephen and Domynick, which my father left with them.

To Bailiff Creagh [I pledged], a silver cup; to Joan Watter, a goblet, pertaining to Andrew Skiddy; and a silver cup, belonging to Barnaby Daly, I delivered in pawn as their bills doth specify. Walter Coppinger hath the cover of my small cup for aquavitæ, in pawn of three yards of baize. John Watters hath the bottom of Andrew Skiddy's cup, in pawn of 6*s.* 8*d.* old money, which my man William Barrett oweth.

John Goole fz. Stephen oweth me 30*li.*; the Court and revenues of the City, 20*li.*; Nicholas Myagh, my servant, 30*li.*; James Tankard, my servant, 20*li.*; my servant, Domynick Corbally, 26*li.* 13*s.* 4*d.*; my man, Robert Monfield, 4*li.*—to be employed according to their several indentures; said Robert Monfield oweth me the reckoning of 10 hogsheads of Gascoyne wines, and half a hogshead of *do.*, with a hogshead of *do.* sold to John Forest, besides a pipe which he oweth. David Barry, 20*li.*, besides on his harness, 4*li.*; John Barry, 6*li.*; My Lady Dame Ellyne Barry, 60*li.*; and more, Theobald Roche, 20*li.*; said his man Nicholas, 14*li.*; Redmond fz. David, to me and my father, 20 marks; Mr. William Galwey, 40*s.*; Gerratt fz. Edmond, brother to John fz. Edmond, 32*s.* I have sent over seas by my servant, Domynick Corbally, 16 deckers of great and small hides, to his discretion, and of this I paid towards the freight, 40*s.*

To Walter Lawrence [I owe] 100*li.*; to William Draddy, a certain sum which I leave to his conscience; to my gossip, Robert Coppinger, 20*s.* And so God be merciful to me. Amen.

APPENDIX.—B.

ABSTRACTS FROM THE DEPOSITIONS OF CROMWELL'S ADHERENTS IN THE CITY OF CORK, TAKEN 1654.

The following depositions,—taken at Cork, I transcribed some time ago from the Carte Papers, preserved in the Bodleian Library, Oxford. These documents illustrate a period in the history of the City of Cork, concerning which hitherto very little has been known, inasmuch as all the local records of Cromwell's time have perished. The following description of the state of Ireland at this time is given by Ludlow :—

"The kingdom being surveyed, and the value of acres being given, the highest was estimated at 4*s*. the acre, and some only at one penny. Accordingly the soldiers drew lots for their several portions; and in this manner the whole forfeited lands were divided among the conquerors and adventurers of money. At the same time it was agreed that the Irish should be transplanted into Conaught, which so shattered them that they never made any head afterwards."

Feb. 16th, 1654. —The examination of Coll. Richd. Townesend, aged 36, now resident in Castlehaven, English Protestant, at the declaring of Corke for the Parliament of England, on the 16 Oct., 1649, a prisoner in said Citty, being duly sworne, sayth, That about three days before the aforesaid declaring of Corke, Capt. Robert Mihyll came to this examinant's chambers where he was committed, and informed him that Coll. Sterling, then Governor of Corke, commanded him to acquaint this examinant that the Lord Inchiquin had ordered that Coll. Jefford should be sent to Bandon bridge, and Coll. Warden to the forte of Corke, and this examinant to the forte of Kinsale the next morning, upon which tidings this examinant with his parteners were much troubled, and did believe their separation was with an intent to have them speedily executed, whereupon the said Capt. Mihyll perceiving some more than ordinary trouble in the said gentlemen, took this examinant aside, and advised him to endeavour their continuance in the place where they were, and he did believe it would be much to their security, and thereupon engaged him in privacy, and acquainted him of an intention of several persons to secure the Citty and Forte of Corke and Castle of Shandon for the Parliament of England and the then Lord Lieut. of Ireland. And this examinant further sayth that he well remembereth that the same night of the declaring, he saw Coll. John Jefford, Coll. William Warden, Coll. Charles Blunt, Lieut.-Coll. Wm. Reeves, Lieut.-Coll. Thomas Dowridge, Coll. John Hodder,* Capt. Robt.

* This Colonel John Hodder had been one of the agents of Sir Philip Perceval. He and his brother William acquired large properties, for which he and his nephew William afterwards passed patents under the Act of Settlement, and both served the offices of High Sheriff of the County and Mayor of the City of Cork. John died without issue, but Wil-

Mihyll, Capt. Peter Carew, Capt. George Bell, Capt. S^t. Rich^d. Burnell, Lieut. Thos. Huett, John Thomas, Lieut. Arthur Reynolds (the last two named Lieuts. in Coll. Finch's Reg^t.), Ensign Rowland Langford, in Coll. Blunt's Reg^t, Ens. Saml. Pomery in Coll. Sterling's Reg^t, Thos. Benger quartermaster in the Reg^t commanded by S^r. William Fenton, Capt. Thos. Dethick formerly in Coll. Baller's Reg^t of Draggoones, Thomas Powell who proclaimed the Declaration, Capt. Henry Rogers and Thomas Boles, to be very active in the securing said Citty, Forte, and Castle, for the English interest, and further sayth that as he heard said persons continued faithful to the Commonwealth of England. — Rich^n. Townesend.* Exam^n taken before Peter Wallis, Bryan Smith, John Denison.

Feb. 21, 1654. — Coll. R. T. further deposeth that Capt. Joseph Cuff,† then a Lieut to Capt. W^m. Brian, the Lord of Inchiquin's son, about four a clock in the morning of that night the Citty of Corke declared for the Commonwealth, he the said exam^t met said Joseph Cuff on the north bridge of C., and after some conference with said Cuff, this exam^t and Coll. Gifford agreed that said Cuff should go into Carberry where his troop then lay, and bring as many of them as he could engage to C., for the better securing of the towne; and said C. did goe and bring 16 troopers well horst the next night after the towne delivered; and that one Lieut. George Water was by exam^t made acquainted with the designe to secure Youghal for the parliament, that he did joyfully consent, and brought in four..... to the place appointed for meeting, and the same night that Y. was secured he was (by the treachery of one Johnson) taken prisoner with exam^t, Coll. Warden, and Coll. Jefford.—Rich^n. Townesend ‡

Feb. 16, 1654.—The exam^n of Coll. Charles Blunt, aged 30 years, now resident at Clonmell, Eng. Prot., at the declaring of C. for the Parliament, 16 Oct., 1649, then commanding a Reg^t of Foot in Lord Inchiquin's army. Sworn. Remembereth that six or seven days before the declaring of C., Lieut.-Coll. W^m. Reeves and Capt. Peter Carew administered an oath to exam^t that he should be faithful and not reveal anything they should impart in case he should not be free to joyn them, which he did, and then said Reeves and Carew did acquaint him of their intentions to secure C., &c., for the Parl^t; that about three days before the declar-

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liam's posterity are stated in Burke's Landed Gentry. The family had come from Dorsetshire, where some of the name held the manor of Loughredy in the reign of Charles I. Smith, in his History of Cork, vol. ii., p. 173, says that Major Hodder, governor of Kinsale in 1656, kept a Quaker to preach to the soldiers, and he quotes Thurlow for it. But Thurlow calls him Hodden, and he is right, as appears from a letter of Hodden's in the British Museum, very distinctly written.

* Smith, in his History of Cork, says that Colonel Townsend and Colonel D'Oyly were imprisoned by Lord Inchiquin. The latter, however, is nowhere mentioned in the documents which we here publish, and his name seems mistaken for that of Col. Warden or Col. Gifford. A pedigree of this family of Townsend will be found in Burke's Landed Gentry. The earliest mention of the name in the county of Cork which we know of occurs in the instance of a Richard Townsend, of the parish of Kinneigh, who in 1630 became administrator of his father-in-law, Francis Bennett. In 1666 and 1668 Colonel Richard Townsend passed patents under the Act of Settlement for large estates. In 1671 and 1672 he was High Sheriff of the county of Cork. His descendants possess good properties in several branches.

† Captain Joseph Cuffe was ancestor of the Earls of Desart.

‡ An interesting document, purporting to be an agreement between Daniell O'Kieffe, of Dromagh, and Colonel Townsend, bearing his signature and seal, is in the possession of Miss Augusta A. Townsend, of Whitehall, Skibbereen.

ing of C. that Coll. John Hodder, Lt.-Coll. Dowridge, Capt. Robt. Mihyll, and others, desireth exam^{t} to goe to Coll. John Jefford, Coll. Will. Warden, and Coll. Rich^{d}. Townsend (then prisoners in C. by Lord Inchiquin's order), and to acquaint them of said intention, which motion they cheerfully embraced; and that sayd night he saw Jefford, Townesend, and Warden at the first drawing of the men togather at the maine guard, very active in promoting said work, and partienlarly that Coll. Jefford secured Coll. Sterling, then Governor of C., and that said parties have since lived peaceable under the protection of the Commonwealth. Said Coll. Chas. Blunt, on behalf of Major Nicholas Poredome,* sayth that Capt. Peter Carty, and exam^{t} did make known to said P. the whole business the 15 or 16 Oct., and promising secrecy he went forth from said Citty that day to his house about two miles from C., and about ten of the clock of the 17 Oct. saw said P. roaming along the street, and speaking with him he told exam^{t} that he then came with a resolution to live and dye with him, &c.—Chas. Blount.

Feb. 16, 1654.—The exam^{n} of Coll. John Gyfforde, aged 51, Eng. Prot., now resident at Ardmore, co. Waterford, at the declaring of C. for the Parl^{t}, a prisoner in the Citty. That about three days before said dec^{s}, Coll. Charles Blount came to examt^{s} chamber where he was committed, and acquainted exam^{t} on oath of a resolution of several persons, viz., Lt.-Coll. Reeves, Coll. John Hodder, Capt. Robt. Myhill, Capt. Peter Carew, Capt. S^{t}. Rich^{d}. Burnell, Coll. Rich^{d}. Townsend, and Coll. Will. Warden, &c., to secure the Citty of C., &c., for the Parl^{t}, which motion he cheerfully embraced, and on 16 Oct., 1649, did see [said parties] with Coll. Chas. Blount, Lieut. Thos. Huett of Coll. Sterling's Reg^{t}, Ensigne Sam. Power of same Reg., Ens. Rowland Langford of Coll. Blount's Reg^{t}, Capt. Henry Rogers, Capt. Thos. Dethick, Lieut. Ralph Gore of Coll. Sterling's Reg., Capt. Thos. Boles, Mr. Thos. Benger, Coll. Thos. Dowridge, Ens. Roger Rowland, Ens. in Coll. Gyfforde's Reg^{t}, Mr. Thos. Powell, John Downinge, Trumpeter; Lieut. John Thomas, and M. Steevens, very active in securing the Citty of C. for the English interest, &c.—Jo. Gyfforde.

Feb. 20, 1654.—The exam^{n} of Capt. Peter Carew,† aged 45, Eng. Prot., now resident at Rosse, co. Kerry, at the declaring of C. for the Parl^{t}, a Capt. of Foot in said Citty. That about 2 months before the declaring, exam^{t}, with Capt. R. Burnell, Capt. R. Myhill, Capt. J. Hodder, Coll. C. Blount, Cap. T. Bowles, Lt.-Coll. Reeves, Lieuts. Huett, Anthony Webb, Pomery, Ensigns Rich^{d}. Ledwich and

* Afterwards Sir Nicholas Purdon, Knt. He was a younger son of John Purdon, of Tullow, co. Limerick, by Elinor, daughter of Sir John Fleming, brother of Lord Slane. Gilbert Purdon, a collateral relation, obtained a grant of arms in 1568. The descendants of Sir Nicholas have been gentlemen of note in the county of Cork.

† Rather Peter Cary, as appears from his signature. His widow and son obtained a grant, under the Act of Settlement, of lands in the county of Cork, where his descendants still remain, their seat being Caryville, formerly Ballymacpatrick. Some genealogists have attempted to identify him with a Peter Cary whose name occurs in some of the heralds' visitations of Devonshire. But St. George and Leonard's Visitation of Cornwall informs us that this last Peter Carey was dead without issue in 1620. Another Peter Cary was a prebendary of Kilrossantie, Lismore diocese, from 1625 to 1634. An earlier Peter Cary having served under the Earl of Essex in Ireland, was grievously wounded; he obtained a pension and the place of Constable of Dunluce, where he was betrayed and slain by the Scots, leaving a widow and five small children. In 1587 Queen Elizabeth directed a pension of a shilling per day to his widow, Katherine Cary.

Peter Grencere, had several meetings to contrive the surrender of C., which by the blessing of God was effected with the assistance of Colls. Gifford, Townesend, and Warden, then imprisoned by Lord Inchiquin; and that one Sergeant Hugh Buckland, then in the forte of C., under command of Coll. Agmondisham Muschamp, then Govr thereof, was of the council 4 days before, and did assist by removing a sentinel and giving an opportunity for the placing of a ladder and entrance by a port-hole, which was effected by the industry of Capt. Robt. Mihill with a small party of men (said Muschamp being absent), who took the Lieut., Ensign, and about 20 men that kept the same, and that Coll. Dowridge, Caps. Rogers, Dethick, George Bell, Lieut. Geo. Myhill, Mr. Thos. Benger, Gunner of Corke forte, Lieut. Phillip Mathews, W^m. Goddard, Francis Bettridge (in whose house the meetings were), and other inhabitants of C., did assist same night, and that one Capt. Godfrey Greene, inhab^t of C., did appear by way of assistance, and about break of day next morning he obtained leave of this dep^t, who had the keys of the gates of C., to ride towards Tallow, as he told dep^t, to secure his mother, sister, and brother by bringing them to C., but it was credible reported that instead of going to Tallow he went directly to Youghal and gave notice to Lord Inchiquin of said declaring of C., yet he came back in 4 days and since served in Lord Broghill's troop.—Peter Cary.

A list of Capt. Peter Cary's company that cheerfully joined him in the rendicion of Corke. Anthony Webb, Lt. W^m. Mayne, Sergt. Geo. Bannister, Sergt. Dan. Macguire, Corp. Fran. Dissert, Corp. Robt. Johnson, Edw. Philpott, Adrian Munday, W^m. Netly, Henry West, John Bartholemew, Pet. Cary, John Clerke, Rich^d. Burrough, Walter Butts, W^m. Tew, John Norris, Henry Keates, David Hughes, Hen. Puslake, Rob. Sampson, Henry Hill, Tho. Souther, John Frizell, John Smith, W^m. Holland, Dav. James, Rich. White, Roger Conly, John Story, John Grymes, Richd Fitches, Geo. Naseby, W^m. Barnsdell, Nat. Nicholls, John Vaughan, John Wilson, Evan James, David Rice, Amb. Thomas, Daniell Kogh, Ralph Smea, Lewes Gethins, Henry Bearer, John Mony, John Hartly, W^m. Johnson, Patt Barrett, John Gover, Lott Hayes, Rob. Vincent, Hen. Joanes.

Peter Cary further exam^d touching Mr. Robt. Fletcher, commissary of Horse at Corke, and Fran. Boreman, Town Major, said, that Fletcher being sent for to deliver forth Ammunition, &c., in his custody in the night for the Parl^t of England, did not appear, nor was spoken with untill he was sent for by a guard commanded by Ens. Ledridge of Cap. Burnell's Comp., who fetched him out of his house and brought him to the main guard, and being then required to deliver up the keys of the store of ammunition which he was unwilling to part with, saying he was instructed by Lord Inchiquin, and had a great charge under his hands, but when he saw he must of necessity deliver up the keys, he desired they would permit him to keep the keys and he would deliver the ammunition, and thereupon continued in that trust untill the Lord Broghill and Coll. Phair came to Cork with relief: and concerning said Boreman (who was looked upon as an enemy to the rendicion) he was sent for by a guard, who brought him out of bedd; he was discontented, and said if he knew of the plott half an hour sooner he would have spoiled it, for which cause he was committed to prison, where he remained untill relieved on security.—Cap. Cary further exam^d in behalf of Major N. Poredon, said, said P. came from his farm, which is about a mile and half from Corke, and being in the Citty the day before the night of declaring, exam^t thought it necessary to sound

him and gain him, and for that purpose went to Coll. C. Blount's quarters, desiring that Coll. B. would take said P. to one Grove's house without South gate, and swear him, which B. did, and P. came to town next day with what horse of his own he could make, and said the reason he did not stay in town that night was because he would secure his family plate and money (who otherwise would have been exposed to ruin by the Irish and Inchiquin's army), and acted faithful until Lord Broghill and Coll. Phair came with relief.

Feb. 20, 1654.—Coll. Rich^d. Burnell* exam^d, aged 38, Eng. Prot., now resident at Ballivar, co. Limerick, at the rendition of Corke, cap. of a foot comp. in the towne, said, that Lieut. Thos. Murphy went from C. towards Toomonth with intention (as he said) to bring his comp^y, which he had the command of from Lord Inchiquin; which he did with much hazard to himself, and brought them to C. about 12 days after the rendition. Burnell further said on behalf of Cap. Jos. Cuff, that about 12 a clock at night at Corke, the people being called out of their beds, he saw said C. come up to the main guard of the towne where Coll. Townesend and the rest of the field officers were, and was ready to assist, and C. desired liberty to goe into Carbery where the horse he commanded lay, with a promise to bring them to C., next day he brought about 20 men and horse. — Rich^d. Burnell.

Feb. 23, 1654. — Ensign Rich^d. Ledwitch exam^d, aged 40, now resident at Abbyony, co. Limerick, acted at declaring of C. for Parl^t, Ens. in Cap. Burnell's Reg^t. (Repeats the story about Fletcher mentioned in Cap. Cary's evidence.)

Feb. 21, 1654. — Lieut. Peter Granyer exam^d, now of Kilrush, co. Clare, aged 28. In 1649, Ensn. to Lt.-Coll. Danl. Cufford, of Major-Gen. Sterling's Reg. of foot of Lord Inchiquin's army, was sent by Coll. W^m. Reeves to deliver certain weapons to Coll. Townsend and Coll. Warden then prisoners, three swords or rapyers, at one Lt. Gravener's in the Citty, who readily received them, when Townesend clapped them under the boulster of his bedd, as Gyfforde was not there but was gone out of north gate, but a little time after deponent heard that G. was come in at the gates and was at Bettridge's, where he repaired to furnish him with a weapon, which he would not receive, but told him he would keep secret.—Peeter Granyer.

Feb. 21, 1654.—Capt. Joseph Cuff of Mungret, co. Limerick, aged 30, exam^d on behalf of Lieut. John Tanner, Cornet to Capt. William Bryen, of Lord Inchiquin's Reg. of Horse, said, the night that Cork surrendered this Cornet went south of the Citty with dep^t to assist in conveying 16 of dep^s troop of horse, and both returned to C. with said horses and about 6 men.—Jos. Cuffe.

Capt. Richd Burrell was further exam^d about Fletcher. (Exam^n as before.)

Feb. 22, 1654.—Capt. Thos. Bowles, aged 46, exam^d. (Nothing of interest.)

* Richard Burnell, Esq., of Garranes, co. Cork, died in 1664, leaving four daughters. In his will he mentions his sisters Elizabeth Campion and Mary Graham. His four daughters received a grant of lands in the county of Cork in 1666, including Garranes: of these, Mary married Thomas Lane, Gent., of Kanturk, in 1697—he was one of the overseers named in her father's will; another, Sarah, married in 1676 Edward Hoare, merchant, of Cork.

Feb. 22, 1654.—Lieut. George Myhill exam^{d}, aged 36, now resident at Ballimacounrick, bar. of Imokilly, co. Cork. Was at C. with his comp^{y} when the town declared; knew of the design 8 days before; his soldiers were very active in securing the town for the market and turning the Irish out.

Feb. 22, 1654. — Joseph Hakin, of C., glover, aged 27, exam^{d} on behalf of Richard Hakin, Corpl. under Lieut. G. Myhill. At rendition of C., being in bedd with said Rich^{d}. his brother in their father's house, heard two or three guns goe off, thereupon his brother rose up, saying, now they are declaring for the Parl^{t}, come bring your arms and come with me. Arriving at the main guard met Coll. Reeves, who appointed Rich^{d}. to get the troops together; saw him turning some Irishmen out of the town.

Feb. 22, 1654. — John Downeing, of C., brewer, aged 30, exam^{d} on behalf of Serjt. Will. Garrald, Corpl. R. Hakin, Roger Price, Darby Callahane, Thos. Reede, Tho. Williams, Simon Pittman, Alex. Thomas, Menerill Lucas, under com^{d} of Lieut. G. Myhill, in Oct., 1649, himself a soldier under M. Did observe said persons very active in turning the Irish out of Corke, and performing duty at guard.

Feb. 22, 1654. — Capt. Robt. Myhill, aged 31, exam^{d}, a Capt. in Coll. Sterling's Reg^{t}. About 6 weeks before the declaring of C., considering with himself the sad condition the English interest was then brought into, cast about in his own thoughts what was best for him and other Eng. Protestants to doe in order to freeing himself and them, so went into the shop of one Capt. Thos. Bowles, in the Citty of C., with whom he was intimate, and to whom he opened his mind, and told said B. that he thought it advisable to use some means for delivering himself and others from the bondage they were in (the Lord Inchiquin having joined with the Irish); and thus having a great influence on him, put said B. to his oath for secrecy, then told him of his resolution to secure C. for the Commonwealth, and further told B. that he had about 8 good men of his own comp^{y} which he was sure would stand by him. Said B. promised to influence the townspeople also; and further said that when several officers had secured the main guard, the two portes of the Citty, and placed a guard upon the governor Coll. Sterling, and Fran. Bowerman towne major, with others whom they durst not trust, this exam^{t} with 14 private Souldiers about 12 o'cl. same night went to surprise the forte, which he soon effected by going in at a porthole where a sentinel was wont to be sett, Serjeant Buckland being promised 50 pounds to remove said sentinel; and that he surprised in said forte Lieut. Rossington and 34 soldiers, the Govr, Lieut.-Coll. Ag. Muschamp, being that night at his farme, and said Govr had no knowledge of the design, nor durst we inform him, being looked on as a great enemy to English interest, &c.

Feb. 23, 1654. — Coll. John Hodder, of C., aged 64, John Senhouse, of C., aged 43, and Lieut. Will. Allen, of C., aged 47, Cap. in Hodder's Comp. (Exam^{s}. contain nothing of interest.)

Ibid.—Mr. Jonas Morris,* of C., merch^{t}, aged 56, exam^{d}. Did observe John

* Jonas Morris was Mayor of Cork in 1659. Another Jonas Morris was M.P. for the City of Cork in 1731. Of this family was Abraham Morris, of Hanover Hall, high sheriff, co. Cork, 1760; and his nephew Abraham Morris, sheriff 1782, and M.P. for co. Cork, 1791.

Lemon, Will. Hull, Morris Cuff, Sampson Roberts, Will. Delahide, and Thos. Letham, diligent for Eng. interest, joining with the soldiers, turning out some and imprisoning others.

Ibid.—Lieut. Phillip Mathews,* of C., aged 50, did observe Thos. Jolliffe, formerly a foot soldier in Ld Inchiquin's army, then dep^s servant, very active for the Parl^t.

Feb. 28, 1654.—Edwd. Gardine, of C., shopkeeper, aged 56, did observe Will. Sexton, Senr, Thos. Hooper, and Will. Rendall, then inhab^s, active for Commonwealth.

Ibid.—Thom^s. Hooper, of C., sadler, aged 38, doth know Edw. Garner, Will. Rendall, Will. Sexten, Senr, W. S. Jun., and John Daummen, inhab. of C. Did see arms in their hands, particularly Garner and Rendall at main guard, Daummen helping to find out the fuses that formerly belonged to Prince Rupert, and secure them; the Sextens were sentinels at the magazine of ammunition.

Feb. 28, 1654.—John Dammion, a carpenter, aged 50, examin^d. Resided in C. at time of rendition, a master carpenter to trayne in C.; knew W^m. Flin, a private soldier in Inchiquin's army; on the night of securing C., said F. about 9 or 10 o'cl. came out of his house with a white cloak upon his arme, was very active, and imprisoned for refusing to march with the army against Dublin.

Roger King, aged 40, exam^d. Called Flin out of his bed said night about 11 or 12 o'cl., who took a sword and musquet and went to the main guard.

March 2, 1654.—Thos. Whitly, aged 32, exam^d, now resident at Parlstowne, bar. of Kinalea; saw Will. Hunt and John Barrett very active going about the town to take up the Irish, and standing sentinels when appointed; said H. and B. were soldiers in Lord Inchiquin's own Comp^y, and stayed behind when the army marched against Dublin.

(Eod. die.)—Will. Coe, weaver, aged 48, same night saw Will. Polly, John Woodland, Phil. Button, and Humphrey McHenick, with their arms, turning out the Irish; was himself one of the guard sett on Coll. Sterling; three of the fore-

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Their ancestor, Captain William Morris, obtained grants under the Act of Settlement of many denominations of land, with special clauses that they were to be called in future by names borrowed from those of certain places in Shropshire, from which we infer that the family came from thence. This was done pursuant to an Act of Parliament providing for such changes of name. The above Captain William Morris was probably son of the first mentioned Jonas. He seems, from the names of his children, to have been strongly Puritanical: these were, Fortunatus, Apollos, Tribulation, wife of —— Forster; Phebe, wife of Thomas Sweet, Temperance, wife of Simon Dring, and Patience, wife of Joseph Fenn. Cotemporary with him were Abraham and Jonas Morris, merchants, of Cork, probably his brothers, the first of whom was founder of the almshouse in Blarney-lane, Cork, as appears from the following inscription on the front wall: — "THIS ALMS HOUSE WAS ERECTED FOR THE USE OF POOR AGED PROTESTANTS, AND ENDOWED FOR EVER BY ABRAM. MORRIS, MERCH^T. IN CORK, 1724." In the hall, at the right hand side, is a large coat of arms cut in stone and ornamented—On a saltire engrailed an escutcheon charged with a cross, for Morris, impaling a wyvern; the whitewash-brush has lately destroyed the tinctures. The Castle Salem branch of this family is the eldest.

* One of the first pair of Protestant sheriffs of Cork (1656), and mayor 1658.

named came out of same house about 11 at night and received musquets from Capt. Burrell, then on main guard.

(Eod. die.)—Will. Hunt of C., weaver, aged 64, at the declaring of C., a soldier in Lord Inchiquin's own Comp. of foot, then in C., doth know Thos. Whitley, John Barrett, Will. Sexten, Jun., Edwd. Gibbonds, Danl. Bearne, and Walter Cook, inhab. of C.; did see them diligent in taking up fuzees; said B. was employed with others to secure the Govr, Sir Robt. Sterling.

(Eod. die.)—John Barrett of C., taylor, aged 37, did observe Thos. Whitley and Will. Hunt, inhab. of C., with musquets in their hands, sentinels about 11 o'cl. at main guard.

(Eod. die.)—Will. Polly of C., aged 42, knew Humphrey Manhinicke, John Wood, and Will. Coe, were employed same night with musquets in their hands, before and after the guns were shot off.

(Eod. die.)—John Woodland of C., weaver, aged 43, saw said parties with musquets under the direction of Capt. Rich^{d}. Burrell.

(Eod. die.)—Will. Sexton, mason, aged 53, now resident in C., saw Thos. Hooper, Edwd. Gardiner, W^{m}. Randall, and W^{m}. Sexton, Jun., about 11 o'cl., making barrikadoes at the main guard with butchers' blocks and other materials for better securing same, in case any rising should be in the toune; afterwards exam^{t} and W. Randall were appointed sentinels on magazine.

(Eod. die.)—Will. Norris of C., gent., aged 40, saw Lieut. John Tench and Thos. Jolliff with arms, taking up fusees and suspected Irishmen.

(Eod. die.)—Robt. Watters of C., innkeeper, aged 37, about 11 o'cl. at night saw John Damen, Edwd. Walsh, Phil. Button, John Garth, John Hawkins, and Thos. Bell with arms; Walsh went with exam^{t} and others to Shandon Castle, and Button with a party com^{d} by Cap. R. Myhill, to reduce the forte, &c.

(Eod. die.)—Will. Strangwaies, gent., aged 64, inhab. of C., did see Henry Floyd, Thos. Price, Hugh Stainer, Henry Burridge, John Clarke, and Rich^{d}. Bowles, inhab. of C., turning out the Irish, some having swords in their hands, others by their sides, about 12 o'cl. in the night.

(Eod. die.)—Rich^{d}. Bowles of C., maulster, aged 40.—John Hawkins, do., sadler, aged 40.—John Gurtree, do., taylor, aged 30.—Thos. Hawkins, do., glover, aged 55. (Their evidences contain nothing of importance.)

March 6, 1654.—John Hawkins further exam^{d}. Knew Henry Morgan, apothecary; being constable of the city of C., commanded by Capt. Rich^{d}. Burnett to call up the English inhab^{s}; called Morgan, who came with a pistol in his hand, and having a signal, a white cloak about his arm.

March 7, 1654.—Robt. Stringer of C., joiner, aged 44.

March 6, 1654.—John Webb, aged 55, knoweth Thos. Hawkins did call up many English inhab^{s}, wishing them to tye a white cloak about their arms, being the then signall of the declarers.—(Eod. die.) Rich^{d}. Foster, currier, aged 39.

March 2, 1654.—Walter Silvester, aged 50.—John Cross, hatmaker, aged 51.—Henry Floyd, aged 32.—Henry Burrage, baker, aged 50.—Thomas Benger, aged 28, lived at C. some years before the rendition, about five days before was made

prisoner by a warrant under the hands of Bishop Sing,* Dean Boyle,† Coll. Sterling, then Govr, Edwd. Fisher the King's Attorney, and Justice Gernon, and kept prisoner until the night of City declaring, when he was released by Capt. John Hodder, Capt. Hen. Rogers, and Capt. Stump.

March 6, 1654.—Thos. Jolliffe, aged 32.—Eliz. Morris of C., wife of Jonas M., mercht, aged 47.—Will. Hawkins of C., cordwainer, aged 87, and soldier under Lt.-Coll. Ag. Muschamp.—John Bartlett of C., husbandman, aged 46.

March 7, 1654.—Philip Joanes, aged 60, Welch Protestant, now res^t in C.—Thos. Joanes, aged 47.—Mr. John Hinckes, aged 60.—Edwd. Chute, fisherman, aged 41.—John Francis Cooper, aged 30.—John Power, blacksmith, aged 50, that being a trooper of Nich. Bramly, in Ld Inchiquin's own Reg^t of horse, about 12 o'cl. was called up by Rich^d. Sampson of C., with whom he went to North gate, and there saw Edwd. Chute with a sword and half-pike.

March 2, 1654.—Thos. Seward, aged 42, on same night called out of his house by Giles Busteed,‡ went with his firelock to main guard, there saw John Cross, W^m. Hand, Walter Silvester, and John Barrett, sold^s in Inchiquin's Army; all were seizing on the fuzees, and brought divers prisoners to the main guard; amongst them was the Bishop of Derry.§

March 10, 1654.—John Wrenn of C., gent., aged 52.—March 9. Peter Gilbert of C., cordwainer, aged 33.—(Eod. die.) Edwd. Barnes of C., shopkeeper, aged 42.—(Eod. die.) Will. Wright of C., glover, aged 32, on the night of declaring, went by the house of Capt. Arthur King, who looked out of the window and demanded what the matter was; exam^t told him to come down and assist in turning out the Irish.—(Eod. die.) George White of C., cutler, aged 46, saw Will. Nepwright active in getting men together into rank and file.

* George Synge, or Sing, a native of Bridgnorth, in Shropshire, was consecrated Bishop of Cloyne at Drogheda, Nov. 11, 1638; he was eldest son of Dr. Edward Synge, Archbishop of Tuam. On the breaking out of the Rebellion, in 1641, he fled to Dublin, and thence to England, where he died in his native town in 1652. The family name was originally *Millington*, but had been changed to *Synge* on account of the remarkable sweetness of voice and skill in vocal music exhibited by some members of the family.—Vide Cotton's *Fasti Eccles. Hib.*; Ware (Harris edit.): Notes and Queries, 1st Series, vol. xi., p. 240.

† Michael Boyle, D.D. (son of the Archbishop of Tuam), was presented to the deanery of Cloyne, March 30, 1640. During the Rebellion he was Chaplain General to the army. I made the following abstract from a document preserved amongst the Carte MSS. in the Bodleian Library:—"Whereas ye Right Rev. Michael Boyle, Lord Bp. of Cork, was entertayned as Chaplain-General to our army in ye province of Munster, and had his allowance of 20*s.* per day, his arrears to be paid."—Vol. xlii., p. 284. In 1661 he was advanced to the united sees of Cork, Cloyne, and Ross.

‡ Luke Busted (son of Giles Busteed) and Anne his mother, passed patent (1 Nov. 19 Car. II.) for the lands of Killclowene, bar. Orrery, co. Cork; also Ballinringlany in Mountlong, bar. Kinalea, same county.

§ John Bramhall, D.D., a native of Yorkshire, educated at Cambridge, and Prebendary of York and Ripon. He was brought to Ireland by the Earl of Strafford, Lord Lieutenant, and was made Treasurer of Christ Church, Dublin, Aug. 30, 1633: on Sept. 3 he was installed Archdeacon of Meath. He was subsequently advanced to the Bishopric of Derry, and at the Restoration to the Primacy. Chalmers says—"At the revolt of Cork he had a very narrow deliverance; which deliverance, however, troubled Cromwell so, that he declared he would have given a good sum of money for that Irish Canterbury, as he called him."

Feb. 23, 1654.—Lieut. Sam[l]. Pomery,* aged 32, now res[t] at Ballivarry, co. Limerick.—March 19. John Hodder of C., aged 63.—(Eod. die.) Ambrose Garnell, aged 62.—(Eod. die.) Ralph Lynan, aged 31, lodged in Fletcher's house; heard knocking at the door; F. went forth, and shortly returned home, where the store of ammunition was; said to exam[t] that it must be speedily delivered to the guard, took the keys of the store, and with exam[t] delivered a barrel of powder to an officer that came with a guard for it.—March 19. Francis Clements, yeoman, aged 52.—Thos. Prunett of C., felt-maker, aged 35.—Thos. Benger, commissary of the stores at C., aged 28, remembereth that one Robert Lake, then of Toure Bridge, near C., did give assistance.—Francis Briggs of C., aged 40.—March 20. Elkannah Knight, chirurgeon, aged 67, a prisoner in C., Oct., 1649. did observe W[m]. Foot as Marshall receive into his custody (1 or 2 at night) divers Irish persons; they were so many he had no room for them; heard the Coll. tell him they would make room for him, and gave him a commission to be Provost Marshal.—Will. Nepwright, glover, aged 30.—John Downing, brewer, aged 30, a soldier in C.: Andrew Roch, then drummer, and exam[t] quartered together in one house; on the firing of the guns in the fort said R. and exam[t] repaired to the main guard, R. with his drum-sticks in his hand, and about two hours before day did beat a proclamation, &c.—Edw[d]. Goble of C., brazier, aged 32.—W[m]. Wilson of C., gunsmith, aged 31.—Benj. Jenkins of Corke forte, aged 34.—Geo. Allen of C., aged 35, innkeeper, servant to Coll. Chas. Blount.—Roger King of C., malster, aged 46, said that W[m]. Barnes, carpenter, died at C., latter end of 1650, of the pestilence. Edw[d]. Cam, water bailiff of C., aged 54.—Christopher Holcombe of C., malster, aged 54, on that night did see Benj. Jenkins, gunner, with a party of Musqueteers having lighted matches, sending the Irish soldiers without the turnpikes; is now a gunner in Corke fort.—Tamsin Champion, wife of W[m]. C., feltmaker.

March 22, 1654.—John Wren of C., innkeeper, aged 50.—John Hollis of C., shopkeeper, aged 40.—John Mortimer, chandler, aged 50.—John Beere, weaver, aged 80.—John Garner, do., aged 35.—John Lego, clothier, aged 28, did see Thos. Jolliff taking one Mr. Coppinger, an Irishman, prisoner to the main guard.—Theodore Hulett, baker, aged 32, being doorkeeper to Coll. Gyfford, Coll. Townesend, Coll. Blount, and Coll. Reeves, sitting as a Committee of Safety at C., did see Thos. Harrison, then clerk, waiting orders and assisting them.

March 24, 1654.—Coll. Rob[t]. Phair,† now Gov[r] of C., aged 35, about latter end

* Samuel Pomroy passed patent (14 Nov. 18 Car. II.) for lands in Palice and Gurtneclong, bar. Duhallow, co. Cork.

† Colonel Robert Phaire, Governor of Cork, ob. 1682. He was twice married: by his first wife, whose name is unascertained, he had—1. ONESIPHORUS of Grange, ob. 1702, who married Elizabeth, daughter of ——; 2. Elizabeth, married (1675) Richard Farmer; and 3. Mary, married George Gamble, and had issue two sons, John and Onesiphorus of Maryborough. ONESIPHORUS had issue—1. ROBERT of Grange, ob. 1712, married Anne, daughter of Gamble; 2. Aldworth of Enniscorthy, ob. 1762; 3. Elizabeth, who married Edward Rogers of Temple-Shannon, by whom she had issue a son, Edward, and Elizabeth, who married Rickard Donovan of Ballymore. ROBERT had issue—1. ROBERT of Grange, ob. 1742; 2. Onesiphorus of Templeshannon, ob. 1757, who married Frances, daughter of the Rev. Dr. John Patrickson; 3. Elizabeth. ONESIPHORUS had issue—1. ROBERT of Killoughram, who married (July, 1761) Lady Richarda Annesley, daughter of Arthur first Earl of Mountmorris; 2. Aldworth of Garr; 3. Polly Anne, married (1758) Henry Nixon of Newton; 4. Elizabeth, married Robert Hill. ROBERT had issue ROBERT, born 1764, and married Amelia Holmes Pomeroy, from whom the Phaires of Killoughram are descended.—Colonel Phaire

of Aug., 1649, presently after the landing of L^d^. Lieut. Cromwell, knew divers prisoners of his old acquaintance who were in the Lord Inchiquin's army, and taken at the route before Dublin, which he knew to be honest hearted towards the English interest; and some of these stayed, by his advice, in Inchiquin's army on purpose to serve said interest; and therefore this exam^t^ made it his request to Ld.-Lieut. Cromwell and Lord Ireton, that such of said prisoners as he should choose might have paroles to come down into Munster to procure their ransom and exchange, which was only a disguise for their employment thither in co. Cork, and had instructions to several well-effected persons to inform them of the Ld.-Lieut^'s^ design to redeem the English inhab. of said county, and parts adjacent, from the bondage that Inchiquin had brought them under—said persons to return within a month to give an account of their proceedings; which service all the undermentioned persons did perform except Capt. Eames, who was betrayed and imprisoned, and was like to be hanged; the names of the persons employed were —Capt. John Eames, Lieut. Robt. Foulke, Capt. Robt. Townesend, and others dep^t^ doth not remember, only Lieut. Thos. Gilbert; the last mentioned was to repair to Castlemawne, co. Kerry, and acquaint Cornet John Joanes, then Govr, to prepare the place with provisions, and hold said Castle untill Ld.-Lieut. Cromwell would send forces thither, but the return said Gilbert gave, was, that said Cornet was put out of the Castle by Lord Inchiquin, at which the Cornet was much troubled.

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married, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Herbert, by Lucy, daughter of Sir William Alexander, ob. 1698, and had issue—1. THOMAS of Mountpleasant, ob. *cir.* 1716, who married Alicia, daughter of Barth. Purdon of Ballyclogh, sen.; 2. Alexander Herbert, ob. 1752; 3. John; 4. Frances; 5. Lucy, married William Flower, and had issue three sons, Robert, John, Phaire, and two daughters, Deborah and Elizabeth; 6. Elizabeth, married Barth. Purdon, jun. THOMAS had issue—Robert, Thomas, Herbert, Onesiphorus, Francis, and two daughters, Alicia, and Elizabeth, married Richard Chinnery.

APPENDIX.—C.

MAYORS AND BAYLIFFS OF CORK.—*Pembrock MS.*

1199	John Dispense ...	...	Walter Russell, Richd. Delega } Propositors.
1236	Walter Eynoff.		
1249	Elias Stakepole.		
1251	John Wenchedon.		

MAYORS.

1252	Walter Right.	1281	Walter Rute.
1272	Nick. Morren.	1285	Petter Russell.
1273	Richd. Wine.	1287	Will. Pallard.
1274	Richd. Lee.	1290	Walter Tardiff.
1279	Walter Tardiff.	1291	Walter O'Heyne.

1293	John Lavallin ...	...	Wm. Degarner, Robt. De Tavernier } Bayliffs.
1310	John Walters.	1314	Walter Dekerdife.
1311	William Blond.	1315	Nick. O'Heyne.
1312	Nick. Delaweily.	1316	John Deligre.
1313	Wm. Hadevivre.	1317	Nick. Delaweily.

MAYORS.		BAYLIFFS.
1318	Adam Milksburry ...	... Gilbert Monk and Nick Morraine.
1319	Step. Coppenger ...	... Robt. Tryall and Edmd. Datalour.
1320	Richd. Deleyt ...	... Steph. Brandon and Rogr. Triall.
1321	Ebra. Destakepoole ...	... Thos. Letanour and Gilbert Soukes.
1322	Walter Reith ...	... Adam Neth and Roger Sracell.
1323	Gilbert Monks ...	... Richd. Lelegh and Walter Russell.
1324	John Ledespasser ...	... Richd. Delaga and Walter Reth.
1325	Nick. Morraine ...	... Nick. Delyegh and Adam Neth.
1326	Edmd. Detalour ...	... Walter fitz Paris and Walter Russell.
1327	Rogar Tryall ...	... Richd. Destordan and Tho. Letanour.
1328	Rogar Lebolout ...	... Elia Sage and Robart Pultmake.
1329	William Albus ...	... Tho. Dewydy and Robt. Letanour.
1330	Nick. Morraine ...	... Walter Russell and (*Propositus*).
1331	Richd. Postwinid ...	... Peter Rashell and Jon. Despencer.
1332	Richd. Lelegh ...	... Walter Pallart and Peter Rashell.
1333	Richd. Lelegh ...	... Andrew Debardely and Robt. Letanour.

	Mayors.	Bayliffs.
1334	Rogar Lebolout ...	... John de Bristol and Wm. Pallard.
1335	Bara. Demontibus ...	... John Morraine and Walter Hine.
1336	John Wedlock ...	... John Morraine and Walter Hine.
1337	John Depenser ...	... John Gallenger and Wm. Pallard.
1338	John de Bristol ...	... Wm. Pallard and Richd. Markes.
1339	John fitz Abraham ...	... Walter Heyne and Walter Reith.
1340	David Demontibus ...	... Petter Rashell and John Wallen.
1341	Peter Rashall	... Petter Pillinge and David Leyne.
1342	Ebra. Destakepole ...	... Walter Reith and John Walsh.
1343	Walter Reith ...	... Gilbt. Bastank and John Mallen.
1344	William Pallard ...	... Thos. Delavitt and John Gadger.
1345	William Pallard ...	... Wm. Yonkill and Richd. Markes.
1346	Walter Dekerdiffe ...	... Wm. Legainer and Robt. Letanour.
1347	Walter Heyne ...	... Wm. Legainer and Robt. Letanour.
1348	John Wallen ...	... Nick. Heyne and John Gadger.
1349	Wm. Dewandspar ...	... Thos. Morrainge and Richd. Rashell.
1350	Walter Dekerdiffe ...	... Thos. Debardely and Rich. Rashell.
1351	Nick. O'Heyne ...	... Mick Mallifont and Rob. Rough.
1352	Nick. Delaloits ...	... James Dekerdiffe and Richd. Detanour.
1353	Walter Dekerdiffe ...	... Walter Droope and Tho. Clowne.
1354	Peirce Wincent ...	... Wm. Skiddy and Robt. De Tanner.
1355	John Gallenger ...	... Wm. Droope and Nisn. House.
1356	Walter Dekerdiffe ...	... Rogar Delawitty and Thos. Deyn.
1357	John Gallenger ...	... Wm. Skiddy and Robt. Tanner.
1358	Adam Ruth ...	... Wm. Skiddy and Richd. Levallen.
1359	Walter Dekerdiffe ...	... Adam Myhouse and Robt. Tannour.
1360	Peirce Wincent ...	... Wm. Dondon and Tho. Tith.
1361	Peirce Wincent ...	... Adam Mawhouse and Rob. Droop.
1362	Wm. Droope ...	... Thos. Tith and Augustin Garner.
1363	Adam Ruth ...	... Wm. Bechford and Walter Robarts.
1364	Wm. Skiddy ...	... Phillip Stone and Tho. Browne.
1365	Wm. Skiddy ...	... Phillip Stone and Tho. Tyth.
1366	Pierce Wincent ...	... Henry Skiddy and Walter Richards.
1367	Wm. Skiddy ...	... Phillip Stone and David Meagh.
1368	Jordan Kerdife ...	... Henry Skiddy and Walter Richards.
1369	Wm. Droope ...	... Phillip Stone and Thos. Thith.
1370	John Leblown fitz Will.	... Henry Skiddy and Thos. Segings.
1371	John Leblown fz. Will.	... Wm. Ductin and Thos. Segings.
1372	Thomas Tith ...	... Wm. Tarrent and Step. Cadwelly.
1373	Wm. Droope ...	... Lavallen Honybric and Jo^{n}. Pollance.
1374	Wm. Downane ...	... Wm. Tenner and Walter Richard.
1375	Thomas Thith ...	... Lavallen Honybrie and John Pallard.
1376	William Droope ...	... John Morey and Richd. McKett.
1377	William Dondon ...	... Adam Turrome and Thos. Seyme.
1378	Thomas Thith ...	... John Myne and Walter Rekerd.
1379	David Myah ...	. . Rob. Gallen and John Mably.
1380	John Lombard ...	... Redmd. McKerkane and Tho. Burdey.
1381	David Myah ...	... Redmd. McKerkane and Wm. Stritch.
1382	Robart Droope ...	... John Mably and John Meade.

	Mayors.	Bayliffs.
1383	John Myne	John Mably and Robt. Gallen.
1384	John Myne	John Corrintine and Wm. Pollent.
1385	John Myne	Wm. Pallard and John Mably.
1386	Robart Droope	Petter Symote and John Warriner.
1387	John Mably	Wm. Pallard and Wm. Spencer.
1388	John Mably	Wm. Pallard and Wm. Spencer.
1389	John Lombard	Robt. Fleming and John Martell.
1390	Wm. Pollent	Wm. Christopher and Wm. Spencer.
1391	Redmd. Kerick	Wm. Stritch and John Martell.
1392	Andw. Stakepole	David Drupe and John Martell.
1393	Redmd. Kerick	John Skiddy and John Martell.
1394	Robt. Flemming	Thos. Honyboard and John Martell.
1395	Wm. Warriner	John Warriner and John Martell.
1396	Thos. Honyboard	John Skiddy and John Martell.
1397	Thos. Burdeys	David Droope and James Longfield.
1398	John Warriner	John Knapp and Wm. Gardiner.
1399	John Warriner	Patt. Droope and John Martell.
1400	John Knapp	John Skiddy and Wm. Speyer.
1401	Richd. Lavallen	Wm. Sughin and Thos. Morrough.
1402	Wm. Sughin	John Skiddy and Tho. Morrough.
1403	John Pennifiett	Robt. Garner and Hugh Mitchell.
1404	John Skiddy	Robt. Garner and Hugh Mitchell.
1405	John Signie	John Baldwine and Tho. Walsh.
1406	Wm. Sughin	Patt. Rice and Tho. Morrough.
1407	John Weight	Tho. Morden and Patt. Rice.
1408	Wm. Sughin	John Morrough and Thos. Wordonton.
1409	Thos. Morden	Walter Kerdiffs and Wm. Walsh.
1410	John Worner	Thos. Molenton and Wm. Walsh.
1411	Thos. Morrough	John Meagh and Peirce Droope.
1412	Thos. Wordonton	John Hyne and Jeffery White.
1413	Patrick Rice	Walter Kerdiff and John Heyne.
1414	Thos. Molenton	Anstell Gordon and Jeffery White.
1415	Robt. Garner	Peirce Lost and Nick Barry.
1416	Robt. Garner	Phillip Stanton and Thos. Coppenger.
1417	Robt. Garner	Phillip Stanton and Thos. Coppenger.
1418	Robt. Garner	Peirce Droope and Jeffery White.
1419	Thos. Molenton	Walter Kerdiff and Wm. Sley.
1420	Thos. Molenton	Walter Kerdiff and Wm. Sley.
1421	Robt. Borderen[r]	John Lavallen and Godfred Waile.
1422	Thos. Molenton	Wm. Anasey and George Gallaway.
1423	Peirce Droope	Geo. Gallaway and Nick Barry.
1424	Robt. Garner	John Lavallen and Thos. Walsh.
1425	David Landebook	David Terry and John Skiddy.
1426	Geof. White	John Skiddy and John Meade.
1427	David Landebook	David Terry and Dermod O'Matthew.
1428	Edwd. Dantsey	Wm. Gallaway and Simon Winchedon.
1429	Godfrey Waile	John Lavallen and Thos. Walsh.
1430	Geo. Gallaway	Wm. Gallaway and Simon Winchedon.
1431	Wm. Anasey	David Nell and Phillip Terry.

	Mayors.	Bayliffs.
1432	Wm. Anasey ...	... John Morrough and Phillip Terry.
1433	John Menia ...	... Geo. Gallaway and John Goold.
1434	Geof. White ...	... Wm. Goold and Pat. Gallaway.
1435	John Morrough ...	... Thos. White and Nick Skiddy.
1436	Geodf. Gallaway ...	... Thos. White and Nick Skiddy.
1437	John Morrough ...	... Wm. Gallaway and John Goold.
1438	John Skiddy ...	... Mehell Barret and John Terry.
1439	John Skiddy ...	... Thos. Meagh and Pat. Skiddy.
1440	John Meagh ...	... Thos. Meagh and Pat. Skiddy.
1441	John Morrough ...	... Wm. Goold and John Goold.
1442	Wm. Goold ...	... Richd. Skiddy and Thos. Barrett.
1443	Wm. Goold ...	... Pat. Gallaway and Petter Griles.
1444	John Morrough ...	... Pat. Gallaway and John Goold.
1445	John Goold ...	... John Skiddy* and Wm. Roch.
1446	Richd. Skiddy ...	... Wm. Roch and Andrew Morrough.
1447	John Goold ...	... John Gallaway and Wm. Skiddy.
1448	Pat. Gallaway ...	... Wm. Skiddy and Wm. Sugane.
1449	John Gallaway ...	... John Weight and Thos. Mitchell.
1450	Richard Skiddy ...	... David Gidis and Peter Griles.
1451	John Goold ...	... David Terry and John Meagh.
1452	Richd. Skiddy ...	... David Terry and John Meagh.
1453	Wm. Gallaway ...	... Richd. Gallaway and Thos. Barrett.
1454	Wm. Skiddy ...	... Wm. Rady and Richd. Gallaway.
1455	Richd. Lavallen ...	... John Terry and Andrew Barrett.
1456	Wm. Gallaway ...	... Thos. Crook and Maur. Shiny.
1457	Richd. Skiddy ...	... Robt. Ohanly and Shep. Brook.
1458	Wm. Skiddy ...	... Thos. Morrough and John Goold.
1459	Pat. Gallaway ...	... John Skiddy and John M^c^Ca.
1460	Thos. Morrough ...	... Wm. Skiddy and Richd. Gallaway.
1461	Richd. Skiddy ...	... Wm. Skiddy and Richd. Gallaway.
1462	John Gallaway ...	... John M^c^Ca and Wm. Morrough.
1463	William Goold ...	... James Lavallen and Joseph Terry.
1464	John Goold ...	... John Crook and Andrew Roch.
1465	John Skiddy ...	... George White and Godfrey Noile.
1466	Richd. Skiddy ...	... Richd. Skiddy and John Roch.
1467	John Meagh ...	... Wm. Gallaway and Richd. Skiddy.
1468	Godfry Noile ...	... Richd. Lavallen and Saml. Terry.
1469	John M^c^Ca ...	... John Gallaway and John Goold.
1470	Richd. Skiddy ...	... James Meagh and Jo^n^. Morrough.
1471	John Gallaway ...	... Edmd. Gallaway and James Lavallen.
1472	Wm. Gallaway ...	... Dom. Sasfield and David Martell.
1473	Thos. Morrough ...	... David Mortell and John Coppenger.
1474	Wm. Skiddy ...	... John Skiddy and Mehell Gallaway.
1475	Richd. Lavallen ...	... Petter Terry and Christ. Meagh.
1476	John Gallaway ...	... Richd. Lavallen and John Goold.
1477	Wm. Gallaway ...	... Richd. Lavallen and John Skiddy.
1478	Richd. Skiddy ...	... Geo. Roch and Thos. Ronane.
1479	Wm. Skiddy ...	... Wm. Sasfield and John Skiddy.

* Built Skiddy's Castle.

	Mayors.	Bayliffs.
1480	Wm. Skiddy ...	... John Gallaway and Ed. Roch.
1481	Wm. Gallaway ...	... Fra. Goold and John Skiddy.
1482	Richd. Gallaway ...	... James Terry and David Meagh.
1483	William Gallaway ...	... Pat. Gallaway and Maur. Roch.
1484	Will. Skiddy fz. John	... Dom. Skiddy and John Gallaway.
1485	Pat. Gallaway ...	... Petter Coppenger and John Lavallen.
1486	William Gallaway ...	... Petter Coppenger and John Walters.
1487	Wm. Skiddy fz. John	... Richard Gallaway and Richd. Terry
1488	Maur. Roch ...	... Petter Terry and Thos. Coppenger.
1489	Wm. Gallaway ...	... David Meagh and Richd. Terry.
1490	John Walters ...	... Petter Terry and Wm. Matthews.
1491	Maur. Roch ...	... John Skiddy and Wm. Matthews.
1492	John Lavallen ...	... Richd. Gallaway and Richd. Terry.
1493	Wm. Goold ...	... David Meagh and David Terry.
1494	John Walters ...	... Edmd. Terry and Robt. Terry.
1495	Thos. Coppenger ...	... Richd. Lavallen and Richd. Terry.
1496	John Lavallen ...	... John Creagh and Garrett Goold.
1497	Maur. Roch ...	... Richd. Lavallen and David Mortall.
1498	John Lavallen ...	... Richd. Lavallen and Garret Goold.
1499	John Walters* ...	... Richd. Lavallen and Phillip Walters.
1500	Maur. Roch ...	... Jo^{n}. Roch fz. Morris and Richd. Terry.
1501	William Goold ...	... David Lavallen and George Roch.
1502	Wm. Gallaway ...	... David Lavallen and George Gallaway.
1503	Edmd. Goold ...	... Thos. Lavallen and Phillip Sasfield.
1504	John Gallaway ...	... James Skiddy and Phillip Sasfield.
1505	Wm. Terry ...	... James Mitchell and Edmund Lavallen.
1506	Wm. Skiddy fz. Richd.	... Mich. Lavallen and Henry Goold.
1507	John Skiddy ...	... David Lavallen and James Goold.
1508	Richard Gallaway ...	... David Lavallen and Robt. Terry.
1509	Edmond Gallaway ...	... Pat. Coppenger and James Goold.
1510	Edmond Goold ...	... Patt. Gallaway fz. Wm. and John Roch.
1511	Edmond Terry ...	... Walter Gallaway fz. Wm. & Edmd. Terry.
1512	John Gallaway ...	... Edmd. Roch fz. Morris & Richd. Skiddy.
1513	John Roch fz. Morris	... Edmd. Sasfield and John Skiddy.
1514	Edmd. Terry fz. David	... Pat. Gallaway fz. Wm. and John Roch.
1515	Richd. Skiddy fz. Wm.	... Walt. Gallaway fz. Wm. & Edmd. Terry.
1516	Walt. Gallaway fz. Wm.	... Geo. Gallaway & Wm. Roch fz. George.
1517	John Skiddy fz. Wm.	... Robt. Meagh and Simon Winchedon.
1518	Nick. Skiddy ...	... Robt. Meagh and Simon Winchedone.
1519	Pat. Terry fz. Wm. ...	... Christ. Meagh and Clemond Skiddy.
1520	Edmond Roch ...	... David Terry and David Goold.
1521	David Terry fz. Edmd.	... Nick. Terry and Robart Terry.
1522	Richd. Goold fz. Edmd.	... Dom. Terry and James Creagh.
1523	Maur. Roch fz. John	... James Goold fz. Edmd. & Step. Walters.
1524	Edmd. Goold fz. Richd.	... David Walsh and John Winchedone.
1525	Wm. Terry fz. Patrick	... Edmd. Coppenger and Tho. Sasfield.
1526	John Skiddy fz. Wm.	... Thos. Ronane fz. Phill. & W^{m}. Coppenger.
1527	Walt. Gallaway fz. Wm.	... Wm. Goold and Phillip Terry.

* Was hanged.

	Mayors.		Bayliffs.
1528	Jo^{n}. Skiddy fz. Wm.	...	Richd. Roch St. Jo^{n} and Wm. Sasfield.
1529	Patrick Terry ...	...	James Roch St. Morris & Peirs Lombard.
1530	Edmd. Roch fz. Maurice	...	George Roch and Henry Mongaine.
1531	Richd. Goold fz. Edwd.	...	Wm. Terry and Walter Terry.
1532	Patt. Gallaway fz. Wm.	...	Step. Goold and Edmd. Lombard.
1533	Dom. Roch fz. Edmd.	...	Piers Goold and Robart Goold.
1534	James Goold fz. Edmd.	...	Richard Terry and Nick. Roch.
1535	Wm. Coppenger ...	...	George Roch and Christ. Skiddy.
1536	Robart Meagh ...	...	Edwd. Gallaway and Dom. Roch.
1537	Thos. Ronane ...	...	Patrick Dey and John Terry.
1538	Wm. Terry fz. Patr....	...	Wm. Arthur and Wm. Skiddy.
1539	James Roch ...	...	Richd. Terry and Christ. Creagh.
1540	Richd. Terry fz. Pat.	...	Robt. Goold and Wm. Lombard.
1541	Christ. Creagh ...	...	George Roch and James Goold.
1542	Wm. Sasfield fz. Ed.	...	Patt. Flaggan and Wm. Creagh.
1543	Wm. Skiddy ...	...	Andrew Gallaway and Wm. Browne.
1544	James Goold fz. Edmd.	...	Nick Lombard and And. Gallaways.
1545	Richd. Goold fz. Edmd.	...	Edmd. Goold and Maur. Roch.
1546	Wm. Gold fz. Step. ...	...	Edmond Terry and Patt. Goold.
1547	Wm. Goold fz. Step.	...	Edmond Terry and Patrick Goold.
1548	Robt. Meagh ...	...	Thos. Meagh and Christ. Terry.
1549	Thomas Ronane ...	...	Richd. Roch and John Gallaway.
1550	Dom. Roch ...	...	Patt. Meagh and Clemond Skiddy.
1551	Wm. Terry fz. Patt....	...	Garrot Gold and John Walters.
1552	James Roch fz. Morris	...	Edmd. Sasfield and Walter Coppenger.
1553	Patt. Gallaway fz. Wm.	...	Stephen Goold and Edmd. Lombard.
1554	Richd. Terry fz. Patt.	...	George Skiddy and Christ. Goold.
1555	Christ. Creagh ...	...	James Skiddy and Wm. Meagh.
1556	William Sasfield ...	...	John Roch fz. Edmd. and Patt. Walch.
1557	Wm. Skiddy fz. Nick	...	Patt. Terry and Wm. Goold.
1558	Dom. Roch fz. Wm....	...	Garrett Goold and Edmd. Gallaway.
1559	Edmd. Goold fz. James	...	Francis Terry and Wm. Goold.
1560	Edward Gallaway ...	...	Wm. Goold *als.* Goold & Step. Coppenger.
1561	John Gallaway fz. Walt.	...	Rich. Roch and Stephen Goold.
1562	Andrew Gallaway ...	...	Maur. Roch and Stephen Goold.
1563	Maur. Roch ...	...	Peirce Coppenger and Rich. Roch.
1564	Step. Coppenger ...	...	Peirce Coppenger and Richd. Goold.
1565	Richd. Roch ...	...	Peirce Coppenger and Garrett Meagh.
1566	Wm. Gallaway ...	...	Edmd. Roch and John Walters.
1567	Edmond Goold ...	...	Maur. Roch and James Gallaway.
1568	John Gallaway fz. Walt.	...	James Ronane and Edmd. Sasfield.
1569	Andrew Gallaway ...	...	Wm. Terry and David Terry.
1570	John Meagh fz. Wm.	...	John Meagh fz. Robt. & Jas. Gallaway.
1571	Maur. Roch fz. Edmd.	...	Step. Terry and Garrett Meagh.
1572	Step. Coppenger ...	...	James Roch fz. Dom. and Rob. Terry.
1573	John Walters fz. Step.	...	Geo. Gallaway fz. Edwd. & John Faggen.
1574	Wm. Terry fz. Wm....	...	Edmd. Roch fz. Dom. & Wm. Lavallen.
1575	James Ronane ...	...	James Meagh fz. Walt. & Hen. Wailsh.
1576	Wm. Roch fz. Dom....	...	Christ. Walter and Edmd. Terry.

	Mayors.	Bayliffs.
1577	John Goold fz. Edmd. ...	Patt. Gallaway fz. Andr. & Nick. Faggen.
1578	Walter Gallaway	David Terry fz. Oliver & Peirce Goold.
1579	Maur. Roch fz. Richd. ...	Rob. Coppenger and James Hoare.
1580	Thomas Sasfield	George Goold fz. Edmd. & Fra. Martell.
1581	Christ. Walters	Jeffory Gallaway and Henry Goold.
1582	Patt. Gallaway fz. Edmd. ...	James Meagh and Adam Goold.
1583	James Roch	Step. Terry and Willm. Goold.
1584	George Goold	Step. Terry and James Lombard.
1585	Stephen Walters	Edmd. Terry and Henry Welsh.
1586	Stephen Terry	John Meagh and Adam Coppenger.
1587	Robt. Coppenger	Peirce Goold and John Coppenger.
1588	Edmond Terry	Fras. Mortall and Patt. Terry.
1589	John Skiddy	John Roch and David Goold.
1590	Dom. Roch fz. Oliver ...	Wm. Sasfield and John Lombard.
1591	David Terry	Thos. Meagh fz. Wm. & Adrian Walter.
1592	Henry Welsh	Patt. Terry fz. Fra. and Robt. Goold.
1593	Patt. Gallaway fz. Edmd. ...	Wm. Goold and Adam Coppenger.
1594	Fra. Mortell	John Arthur and James Lombard.
1595	James Meagh	Peirs Goold fz. Adam & Richd. Raully.
1596	Patt. Gallaway fz. Andrew ...	John Gallaway fz. And^{w}. & Step. Skiddy.
1597	George Goold fz. Edmd. ...	John Gallaway fz. John & Dom. Meagh.
1598	John Skiddy fz. George ...	Henry Goold fz. Adam & Edmd. Mortall.
1599	James Sasfield	Thos. Goold fz. Wm. & Wm. Coppenger.
1600	Wm. Meade	Edwd. Gallaway and Edmd. Morrough.
1601	John Meade	David Terry fz. David & David Robarts.
1602	John Coppinger	Patt. Meagh fz. James & Phillip Mortall.
160$\frac{2}{3}$	Thomas Sasfield	John Roch fz. James & Phillip Mortall.
1604	Edmond Terry	Wm. Terry fz. Fra. and David Terry.
1605	Robt. Coppinger	Patt. Roch and John Terry.
1606	William Sasfield	John Terry and Stephen Meagh.
1607	Phillip Mortall	David Terry and Wm. Skiddy.
1608	David Terry fz. Step. ...	Edmd. Roch and James Morrough.
1609	Dom. Roch fz. Wm. . .	David Gallaway and Wm. Horathen.

	Mayors.	Sheriffs.
1610	Edmond Gallwey, Oct. 1609 :..	Edward Roche, Henry Gould fitz Piers.
1611	George Gold fitz Edmond, Oct. 1st, 1610	Dominick Tyrry fitz Edmond, Andrew Gallwey fitz Walter.
1612	Dominick Tyrry fitz Edmond, Sep. 30, 611	Stephen Miagh fitz Garrett, Patrick Lawallyne fitz Richard.
„	Dominick Gallwey, Jan. 31st, 1611	Nicholas Roche, who died in office, and was succeeded by Edward Roche fitz John.
1613	William Skiddy fitz John, Oct. 1, 1612	George Lombard, George Morrogh.
„	Patrick Tyrry fitz William, Jan. 13th, 1612	John Collinayne Maurice Kynt.
1614	David Tyrry fitz David, Oct. 6, 1613	Edmond Goold fitz George, Philip Pounch fitz John.

	Mayors.	Sheriffs.
1614	Edmond Tyrry fitz Edmond, Jan. 13, 1613	Adam Goold fitz Patrick, Christopher Gallwey
1615	William Gold fitz George, Oct. 3, 1614	Edmond Goold fitz Henry, Nicholas Lombard fitz James; Dominick Roche fitz James, Feb. 20, 1614.
1616	George Tyrry fitz Edd., Oct. 2nd, 1615	John Gallwey, James Goold.
„	John Coppinger fitz John, Jan. 31st, 1615	Maurice Roche fitz James, Thomas Martell fitz Philip; Robert Miaghe fitz David, John Coppinger, April 3.
1617	Patrick Tyrry, July 20th, 1616	John Coppinger fitz John, William Gallwey fitz Edmond. Robert Miagh, Stephen Galway Fitz Walter, Sept. 30th, 1616.
1618	William Gold fitz George, Oct. 6th, 1617	Thomas Morley, Lancellot Teape.
1619	John Coppinger fitz John, Oct. 5th, 1618	Robert Glover, Richard Cooke.
1620	William Tirrie fitz Richard, Oct. 4th, 1619	John Ghilbert, Robert Myntren.
1621	Andrew Skiddie fitz William, Oct. 2nd, 1620	Henry Roberts, Richard Rowse.
1622	John Coppinger, Jun., Oct. 1st, 1621	John Addis, John Tucker.
1623	John Roche fitz Patrick, Sept. 30th, 1622	Richard Connell, Edmond Murffie.
1624	John Roche, Sept. 6th, 1623.	James Lombard, James Karney.
1625	Henry Gold fitz Adam, Oct. 4th, 1624	John Miagh fitz Henry, Richard Hallyn fitz Robert.
1626	Edmond Martell fitz Philip, Oct. 3rd, 1625.	Stephen Martell, David Lombard fitz James, Oct. 7.
1627	William Hore, Oct. 2nd, 1626	John Gold fitz James, James Mathew fitz James
1628	David Tyrry fitz Edmond, Oct. 1st, 1627	Stephen Gould, James fitz Gerald.
1629	James Murroghe, Oct. 6th, 1628	Maurice Roche fitz Patrick, Milcher Lavalline.
1630	Thomas Ronayne	William Tirrie fitz George, Thomas Fitz John Gerald.
1631	Maurice Roche, Oct. 4th, 1630	Nicholas Skiddy, Patrick Drady.
1632	Jeffry Gallway fitz Patrick, Oct. 3rd, 1631	Richard Tirry, John Drady.
1633	Wm. Roche fitz Dominick, Oct. 1, 1632	Robert Coppinger, Edward Gould.
1634	Richard Roche, Sep. 30th, 1633	Robert Verdon, Dominick Tyrry.
1635	Thomas Martell, Oct. 6th, 1634	James Roche fitz Patrick, Wm. Kearney.
1636	Robert Miagh, Oct. 5th, 1635	William White, Dominick Morrogh.
1637	David Meade, Oct. 3, 1636	Patrick Arthur, William Verdon.

	Mayors.	Sheriffs.
1638	Patrick Lavaline, Aug. 18th, 1637	Thomas Sarsfield, William Tirrie.
1639	Thomas Sarsfield, Aug. 21st, 1638	James fitz Patrick Sarsfield, James fitz David Gould.
1640	Thomas fitz George Goold, Sep. 3rd, 1639	Stephen Coppinger, John fitz Maurice Roche.
1641	Milcher Lavalline, Oct. 5th, 1640	George Thirry fitz William, Philip Martell fitz Edward.
1642	Maurice Roche fitz Patrick, Nov. 1st, 1641	Francis Roche, Edmond Roche.
1643	John Roche fitz Maurice, Oct. 3rd, 1642	Richard Galwey, Philip Roche, *the latter having died before he was sworn,* Robert Thyrry fitz Robert *was elected* 13th Oct. *in his stead.*
1644	Robert Coppinger.	
1645	James Lombard.	

During the period of Cromwell's usurpation there were no Civil Magistrates.

1655	John Hodder	William Hodder, Philip Mathews.
1656	John Hodder	William Hodder, Philip Mathews.
1657	Wm. Hodder	Richard Covert, Timothy Tuckey, Senr.
1658	Philip Mathews	Richard Basset, John Bayley.
1659	Jonas Morris	Richard Lane, Noblet Dunscombe.
1660	Christ. Oliver	Thomas Farren, John Flyn.
1661	Walt. Cooper	Christ. Rye, Nicholas King.
1662	Richd. Covett	Robert Williams,* Thomas Crook.
1663	James Vandeluer	William French, Richard Priden.†
1664	Richard Basset	James Finch, Mathew Deane.
1665	Noblet Dunscombe	John Newenham, Patk. Ronayne.
1666	Thos. Farren	John Hawkins, Timothy Tuckey, Junr.
1667	Christ. Rye	Thomas Mill, George Wright.
1668	Christ. Rye	Thomas Kitchenman, Robt. Fletcher.
1669	Mathew Deane	William Field, Richard Harvey.
1670	James Finch	William Wren, Thomas Walker.
1671	John Newenham	Jonathan Perry, John Bayley.
1672	John Hawkins	Thomas Franklin, John Terry.
1673	Thomas Mills	James Mills, Thomas Wills
1674	John Bayley	Robert Rogers, William Hull.
1675	Geo. Wright	John Wright, Edward Webber.
1676	William Field	Edward Youd, John Sealy.

* R. Williams was disqualified, being an officer of Customs, and Tho. Swaby sworn in his place, 6 Nov. 1662.

† On Priden's death Simon Everson was sworn in his place, 12 Oct. 1663.

	Mayors.	Sheriffs.
1677	Timothy Tuckey	William Allen, Christ. Crôfts.
1678	Thomas Kitchenman ...	William Maleborn, Richard Terry.
1679	John Bayley	William Ballard, William Howell.
1680	Robert Rogers	Randall Hull, Henry Gerald.
1681	William Alwin	Thomas Comyn, Stephen Cook.
1682	Richard Covett	William Charters, Eleazer Lavers.
1683	John Wright	Zachariah Coke, Samuel Bayley.*
1684	Edward Webber	Edward Hoare, John Bayley.
1685	Christ. Crofts	Daniel Crone, John Champion.
1686	Edward Hoare	Thomas Browne, Edward Tucker.
1687	Wm. Ballard, and Ignatius Gold, for King James	William Coppinger, William White.
1688	Patrick Roche	Bate French, Thomas Murrough.
1689	Dominick Sarsfield	Patrick Meade, Patrick Nagle.
1690	William Ballard	William Roberts, William Green.
1691	Daniel Crone	Peter Renew, Samuel Love.
1692	William Charters	John Whiting, Richard Slocomb.
1693	William Howell	James French, Simon Dring.
1694	Peter Renew	John Raynes, William Goddard.
1695	Samuel Love	Ed. Knapp, Jonathan Tressilion.
1696	Jas. French	Theop. Morice, Ferd. Perrington.
1697	William Roberts	Richard Crab, Tho. Kingsmell.
1698	William Goddard	William Andrews, Edward Yeamans.
1699	Theo. Morris	Barth. Taylor, John Allen.
1700	John Sealy	Joseph Ruddock, Fr. Cotterel.
1701	Simon Dring	Joseph Franklin, Bern. Poye.
1702	John Whiting	William Masters, Abr. Watkins.
1703	Edm. Knap	Mathias Smith, Edward Browne.
1704	William Andrews	Daniel Perdrian, Rowl. Delahoyde.
1705	Fras. Cotterel	William Cockeril, Daniel Pierce.
1706	Bernard Poye	Noblet Rogers, Patrick Hamilton.
1707	Jos. Franklin	Edward Hoare, John Hawkins.
1708	Row. Delahoyde	Will. Lambley, James Morison.
1709	Noblet Rogers	Richard Philips, Samuel Wilson.
1710	Edward Hoare	Thomas Barry, Samuel Ablin.
1711	Richard Philips	John Terry, Richard Addis.
1712	Danl. Perdrian	Philip French, Anthony Goss.
1713	John Allen	Abraham French, Joseph Lavite.
1714	Edward Browne	John Morison, Hugh Millard.
1715	Philip French	John Morley, Francis Power.
1716	William Lambley	Thomas Shears, Thomas Browne
1717	Abraham French	Will. Hawkins, Chas. Cotterel.
1718	John Morley	Edw. Brocklesby, Jos. Austin.
1719	John Terry	John Maunsel, Geo. Fuller.
1720	Joseph Lavite	Saml. Croker, James Foulks.
1721	Will. Hawkins	Will. Owgan, Aug. Carré.

* On the death of Saml. Bayley, Sheriff, his brother John Bayley was sworn in his place until Monday after Michs., 1684.

	Mayors.	Sheriffs.
1722	Danl. Pierce ...	... Robt. Atkins, Geo. Bennet.
1723	Edwd. Brocklesby ...	... Amb. Cramer, James Huleat.
1724	Geo. Bennet ...	... Fra. Rowland, Tho. Pembroke.
1725	Amb. Cramer ...	... Will. Bustead, John Franklin.
1726	Robt. Atkins ...	... James Crook, Amb. Jackson.
1727	Tho. Browne ...	... John Atkins, Will. Lane.
1728	Hugh Millard ...	... Dan. Engane, Tho. Austen.
1729	John Atkins ...	... Fra. Healy, Harding Parker.
1730	Jos. Austen ...	... Wetenhal Hignet, John Baldwin.
1731	James Huleat ...	... James Piercy, Robt. Travers.
1732	Saml. Croker ...	... Wm. Newenham, Adam Newman.
1733	Tho. Pembroke ...	... Robt. Dring, Walter Lavite.
1734	Geo. Fuller ...	... Tho. Farren, Wm. Delahoyde.
1735	Amb. Jackson ...	... Will. Fuller, Tho. Browne.
1736	Thos. Farren ...	... Danl. Crone, Richd. Bradshaw.
1737	John Baldwin ...	... Christ. Carleton, Hor. Townsend.
1738	Adam Newman ...	... Randal Westrop, Nath. Barry.
1739	Wm. Fuller ...	... John Terry, Noblet Philips.
1740	Harding Parker ...	... Geo. Fuller, Will. Clarke.
1741	Richd. Bradshaw ...	... Will. Taylor, Wm. Winthrop.
1742	Wm. Owgans ...	... Mathias Smith, Hugh Millard.
1743	Randal Westrop ...	... Robt. Wrixon, Will. Harding.
1744	Will. Winthrop ...	... Sir Richd. Cox, Bt., Usher Philpot.
1745	Wm. Lavite ...	... Rich. Ford, David Bruce.
1746	Will. Taylor ..	... Phineas Bury, Will. Holmes.
1747	Hugh Millerd	... Will. Busteed, Geo. Hodder.
1748	Dan. Crone ...	... James Chatterton, Hugh Reily.
1749	Will. Holmes ...	... John Webb, John Swete.
1750	Robt. Wrixon ...	... Sir J. Freke, Bart., R. Newenham.
1751	Will. Bustead ...	... Fra. Carleton, Hugh Swayne.
1752	Mathias Smith ...	... John Wrixon, Steph. Denrocho.
1753	Sir J. Freke, Bt. ...	... John Cossart, Kevan Izod.
1754	Geo. Hodder ...	... John Smith, Jos. Witheral.
1755	John Reily ...	... Saml. Maylor, Godfrey Baker.
1756	Will. Harding ...	... Tho. Newenham, John Roe.
1757	Usher Philpot ...	... Boyle Travers, P. Westrop.
1758	John Swete ...	... W. Parks, Christ. Collis.
1759	Phineas Bury ...	... And. Franklin, Dan. Connor.
1760	Joseph Witheral ...	... H. Harding, Tho. Owgan.
1761	And. Franklin ...	... W. Fitton, James Morisson.
1762	John Wrixon ...	... Walter Travers, Robt. Lane.
1763	John Smith ...	... Fra. Rowland, Wm. Coles.
1764	Boyle Travers ...	... Henry Wrixon, Wm. Butler.
1765	Wm. Parks ...	... Saml. Rowland, W. Wilcocks.
1766	Sam. Maylor ...	... John Travers, John Harding.
1767	James Chatterton ...	... S. Twogood French, H. Lawton.
1768	Noblet Philips ...	... Sober Kent, Richd. Lloyd.
1769	Godfrey Baker ...	... Benj. Bousfield, Richd. Kellet.
1770	Christ. Collis ...	... Peter Cossart, Jasper Lucas.

	Mayors.	Sheriffs.
1771	John Webb	John Wrixon, Henry Puxley.
1772	John Roe	Richd. Harris, John Franklin.
1773	Fra. Rowland	Kingsmill Berry, Fra. Carleton, Jun.
1774	John Travers	Tho. Fuller, Philip Bennet.
1775	Wm. Butler	W. Lawton, M. R. Westrop, C. Denroche.
1776	Hugh Lawton	John Day, Wm. Leycester.
1777	Tho. Owgan	Tho. Harding, Richd. Lane.
1778	Palms Westrop	Christ. Lawton, Richd. Purcell.
1779	John Harding	Michael Busteed, Vesian Pick.
1780	Fras. Carleton	James Kingston, Aylmer Allen.
1781	Walter Travers	R. Hutchinson, Peter Dumas.
1782	Sober Kent	John Thompson, J. Lindsay.
1783	Richd. Kellet	John Shaw, Tho. Waggett.
1784	James Morisson	Philip Allen, Humph. Crowley.
1785	Sir John Franklin	Wm. Lumley, Henry Sadlier.
1786	Sir Saml. Rowland	Christ. Allen, Christ. Waggett.
1787	James Kingston	Rowland Morisson, Jeff. Piercy.
1788	Richd. Purcell	J. Herbert Orpen, Paul Maylor.
1789	Henry Harding, *died in office, and was succeeded by* Humph. Crowley	Tho. Harding, Jun., N. Johnson.
1790	Richard Harris	C. Ferguson, Sir H. B. Hayes.
1791	Henry Puxley	James Sadlier, Tho. Dorman.
1792	John Shaw	Will. Clerke, John Forster.
1793	Will. Willcocks	Chas. Evanson, Will. Lane.
1794	John Thompson	David Perrier, Henry Bagnell.
1795	Jasper Lucas	Strettel Jackson, Michael Wood.
1796	Vesian Pick	Tho. Gibbins, Edwd. Allen.
1797	Kingsmill Berry	Robt. Harding, John Cuthbert, Jun.
1798	Philip Bennet	Abraham Lane, Isaac Jones.
1799	Michael Busteed	Tho. Pope, Richd. Digby.
1800	Philip Allen	Henry Hickman, Will. Lane.
1801	Mich. Roberts Westropp ...	John G. Newsom, J. N. Wrixon.

APPENDIX.—D.

LISTS OF LOYAL OFFICERS, &c., IN MUNSTER.

These seem to have been compiled for the use of the Duke of Ormond.

A List of such Officers who are now in Mounster and served his Mat^ie before 1649, *and haue not since received any reward under the Usurper, but (for the greatest part of them) have been extreme sufferers since your Excellincy left Ireland.**

Collo. Randolph Clayton. — He served his Mat^ie constantly in England and Ireland, was taken prisoner neere Lymerick, and hath now a foot company.

Lt.-Coll. Richard Aldworth. — He served his Mat^ie constantly, was taken prisoner at ——, and delayed long in the Marshalsay at Dublin, and hath no service since that time; he is a person of reasonable good fortune in Mounster.

Major Richard Maguire.—He constantly served his Mat^ie from the beginning of the wars, first in Ireland then in England, and never received any employment under the Usurper of what nature soever; since his Mat^ies restoration he hath gayned to be a Lieut. of a foot company. He lived in the county of Lymerick, and would (if occasion were) prove very serviceable to his Mat^ie in those parts.

Lieut.-Coll. William Meede.—He served his Mat^ie in England and Ireland, and is at present Escheator of the county of Cork.

Capt. Phillip Parker. — He served his Mat^ie faithfully in Ireland, and received no command under the Usurper; he is at present only a Titulary Captaine of the Train band of Cork, and is well capacitated to serve his Mat^ie in those parts.

Capt. Henry Wheatcroft.—He served his Mat^ie in the turne of affairs in Munster when your Excellency came to Cork in 1648, and who I am confident will upon all occasions prove faithful to his Mat^ies service.

Coll. John Jephson.—He hath at present a foote company under his Majesty.

Coll. Howard St Leger, Lt.-Coll. Alexander Piggott, Lt.-Coll. Anthony Hoveden, Major John Grove, Capt. Thomas Causabon, Capt. Richard Smyth, Lt.-Coll. Arthure Freake, Capt. Boyle Maynelherd, Capt. Richard Gething, Lt. Richard Beare, Lt. Thomas Maguire, Capt. Benjamin Pierce, Lt.-Coll. Richd Williamson, Major John Persivall, Major James Pierie, Capt. John Purdon, Lt. William Bradford, Capt. Maurice Downe, Capt. John Steeres, Ma^r John Lowe, at present under Gn. William Pen, at the forte of Kingsall, a very honest man; Capt. Edward Snell, Cornet George Ailmer, Capt. George Burgess, Cornet Paul Tanner, Capt. John Meade, Capt. John

* Carte MSS., vol. lix. p. 35 a, Bibl. Bodl.

Smyth, Lt. John Selby, Ens. Cott. Maguire, Capt. Ulick fz. Morris, Capt. Edward Allen, Capt. Nicholas Bramley, Capt. Richard Travers, Capt. William Arnold, Capt. John Piggett.

Capt. John St Leger.—He hath at present a foot company by his Mat^ie.

A List of such Officers as betraied and complied in betraying the townes of Munster, and are now in command:—

Captaines Collonel William Warden, Sir Frauncis Foulkes, Sir Nicholas Purdon, Collonel Charles Blunt, Sir St John Broadricke, Henry Smythwicke, Richard Dashwood, Robert Manwayring, George Preater.

A List of such Officers in the county of Cork who for their manifest affections to his Mat^ies service have suffered imprisonment and other penaltyes under the late tirannicall power exercised over them:—*

John Sentleger, Esq., Lt.-Coll. Hayward St Leger, Lt.-Coll. John Jephson, Lt. Coll. Ric. Aldworth, Lt.-Coll. Fortescue, Lt.-Coll. Alexand. Pygott, Lt.-Coll. Beverley Usher, Lt.-Coll. Anthony Hoveden, Major Richard Magwyer, Capt. Ben Peer, Capt. Rich^d. Gethin.

Principal Actors in the Revolte of Corke:†—

Coll. Richard Townsend, Coll. William Warden, Coll. Thos. Gifford, Coll. Will. Piggott, Coll. — Ryves, Capt. Jo. Broadrick, Coll. J. Hodder.

The 4 Spyes‡ sent over by Cromwell to send him Intelligence:—

Capt. Robert Gookin, Coll. Richard Townsend, Lt.-Coll. Will. Piggott, Capt. St John Broadrick—28 May, 1664.

* Carte MSS., vol. lix. p. 361, Bibl. Bodl. † Ibid., p. 362.

‡ These four spies, though said to have been *sent over* by Cromwell, seem to have been all Irishmen except the last. Sir Vincent Gookin resided in the west of the county of Cork in 1631, and is mentioned in Smith's History of that county, vol. i. p. 279. He married a daughter of Sir Thomas Crooke, Bart., and was probably father of Captain Robert Gookin, who, at his death between 1662 and 1666, was of Courtmacsherry, and who bequeathed to his wife Dorothy his manor of Castlemahoon for life, and in his will mentions his friend Colonel Richard Townsend. This Colonel Townsend, another of the spies, had brothers in the county of Cork, and there was a numerous family of this name there before the rebellion of 1641; we therefore infer that he was an Irishman. As to the other spy, Piggott, he was probably of the baronet's family of that name who had long before been settled in Ireland.

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